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Big Four Can't Agree, London Parley Ends; Blocked on Germany

Merger of Three Western Zones Now Regarded As a Certainty
(Partial Text on Page 15)

By Walter Kerr

London, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—The Big Four Council of Foreign Ministers ended its London session here tonight, unable to agree on peace settlements for Germany and Austria and unwilling to fix a date for a future conference.

It broke up in deadlock over the nature and extent of reparations to be exacted from Germany and without bothering to run through the last three items on the six-point agenda.

(The Associated Press said the political and economic merger of the French occupation zone with the economically-united British and American zones was regarded now by western observers as almost a certainty.

(Marshall's Republican adviser, John Foster Dulles, said after the conference:

("Agreement can be reached on a combination of the three (western) zones. French differences are not arbitrary but a matter for discussion and settlement.")

Right through to the finish, Viacheslav M. Molotov, the Soviet Foreign Minister, fought for reparations amounting to 10 billion dollars at 1938 world prices, or about 15 billion dollars worth of German goods at the present time. Just as stubbornly, his demand was rejected by Secretary of State George C. Marshall and Ernest Bevin, the British Foreign Secretary.

Marshall Suggests Adjournment

With this issue preventing further progress and with Molotov still refusing to disclose the extent of reparations already taken from the Soviet zone of occupation, Secretary Marshall suggested adjournment.

Bevin and Georges Bidault, the French Foreign Minister, agreed. Both expressed some doubts as to the wisdom of continuing the council as a mechanism for working out the peace of Europe.

Molotov claimed the three western powers had formed "a common front" against the Soviet Union. His government, he said, "cannot be spoken to in the same manner as the present Greek government." As for adjournment, he had no further remarks to make and no objection.

In one final effort to save something from the wreckage, there was a proposal by Bevin that the Austrian treaty be referred to the council's deputies "for immediate action."

But there was little likelihood of the deputies solving any prob-

See COUNCIL, Page 20, Column 2.

Accuser Drops Shooting Charge Against Sprowls

Dr. Jesse W. Sprowls, University of Maryland psychologist and psychiatrist, was freed yesterday of charges of assault with intent to kill Mrs. Mary McDonald, 30, of 455 Morris pl. ne.

The university professor of abnormal psychology and mental hygiene was cleared in Hyattsville, Md., police court yesterday when the complainant said she "had no desire to prosecute."

She and three companions then elected to forfeit $8.50 each, collateral they had put up on Dr. Sprowls' charge of trespassing on his property, December 6, on Riggs rd., a half-mile from the university.

The educator, radio commentator and one-time newspaper columnist told police he fired a shotgun blast into the ground to chase the four. They, in turn, said they had become lost after making a wrong turn, and were attempting to turn around in Sprowls' driveway when their car stuck in the mud.

Canaries Sold Through Post 'Pets For Sale' Ad

Washington Post "Pets For Sale" classified ads find homes for all types of pets—including canaries. Mr. Henry Dye of 3rd Street N.E., discovered that the other day when he advertised several of the feathered singers. His Post ad disposed of the entire collection in only three days.

Is there a surplus pet in your home? A Post ad can make a quick, profitable sale for you. Call NA. 4200.

'Stranger' Takes Him Home

Mother Suing for Divorce Gets Custody of Son, 4, for a Night

GETTING HIS WRAPS ON.—Little George Jillson, 4, pictured as he got ready to leave after the morning session of District Court yesterday. The central figure in the Jillson divorce proceedings is shown with his grandmother, Mrs. Anna Jillson.

Western Union Strike Set for Next Tuesday

Nation-Wide Call To 50,000 Workers Affects 1000 Here

A Nation-wide strike of 50,000 employes of Western Union Telegraph Co. will begin at 6 a.m. (EST) next Tuesday, two days before Christmas.

The strike date, agreed upon secretly in Atlanta, Ga., last week, was made public here in advance of a scheduled meeting today between union and company representatives and a special three-man panel from Federal Mediation Service, at Philadelphia.

"We are not hopeful that anything will come of the meeting," explained Adolph Brungs, president of the powerful Commercial Telegraphers Union, AFL.

Any strike action taken by the unions will be supported "100 per cent" by nearly 1000 members of Local 24, CTU, of Washington, D. C., said the local union's general chairman, J. W. Reynolds.

Commercial Telegrtphers Union, claiming 40,000 members in its Western Union division, and two smaller AFL unions have demanded a general wage increase of 15 cents an hour for all Western Union employes.

The walkout, if it occurs, will shut down some 3000 Western Union offices throughout the country, save in New York City where the American Communications Association, a CIO affiliate, represents most of the workers. This union, however, has voted to call out its employes at 12:01

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Whether Jillson Boy Will Stay Ringes on 'Humor' This Morning

By Dorothea Andrews
Post Reporter

For the first time in two years, 4-year-old George Jillson was to spend the night with his mother last night.

This was under a District Court order issued last August, granting his mother temporary custody pending outcome of a suit for divorce and a counter suit for adultery.

Yesterday afternoon, when Justice F. Dickinson Letts awarded "over-night" custody of the boy to Mrs. Kathryn Sinclair Jillson, the judge said, "It will depend upon the humor of the boy in the morning what is to be done tomorrow."

Bystanders, who had watched the boy talking to his mother as though she were a stranger after their two-year separation, were none too optimistic of what "humor of the boy" would be today.

Child Clings to Father

Mrs. Jillison now lives in the apartment at 1841 R st. nw. which she and her husband, George J. Jillson, had shared, and then had lived in alternately. She now shares her quarters with two other women. Both Mrs. Jillson and her husband are suing each other for divorce.

Jillson's attorney objected to granting her even over-night custody of the child on the grounds that the quarters were overcrowded. The judge overruled this objection, however.

During court recesses yesterday, the child clung alternately to his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Anna Jillson, and his father. Mrs. Jillson talked to him during a recess, but when Jillson, who had been

See JILLSON, Page 3, Column 6.

Increase in Taxes

Budget Proposes Alexandria Spend $3,227,749 During '48

By Richard Lyons
Post Reporter

Alexandria will spend $3,227,749 in 1948—$744,395.96 more than this year—if the Alexandria City Council approves its own tentative budget.

The proposed expenditures and revenue sources were set for public hearing at 7:30 p. m., December 30 in the Corporation Courtroom. The council must adopt the budget in ordinance form before January 1.

Largest increases among the 43 proposed budgetary items were listed for construction, which jumped to $284,973.96 from this year's $47,628.

The public schools budget was set at $2,646,974.11, an increase of $119,168.13 above this year's budget. Despite the increase, however, the proposed schools item remained $16,300 less than the school board's request. The $16,300 was cut from funds requested by the board for teachers' pay raises.

The Police Department budget was increased $35,470 to enable the addition of 11 men to the force, which was requested by Police Capt. Edgar Sims and recommended by the Alexandria grand jury a month ago.

Increased costs of indigent hospitalization are reflected in a $39,180 tentative increase to the Welfare Department. Other significant increases are proposed in maintenance of streets and sewers. Fire

See ALEX, Page 7 Column 3.

2 Free Years Of College Asked for All

President's Board Urges Federal-Aid Program Doubling Enrollment by 1960

D. C. Segregation Hit

THE President's Commission on Higher Education hits racial segregation in District schools. Story on Page 2.

'Quota Systems' Assailed

A bold reshaping of the Nation's system of higher education was proposed yesterday by a President Truman's commission on education.

Outlining a program which it said poses a "truly staggering job," the President's Commission on Higher Education called for doubling the present college enrollment by 1960 with Federal aid.

Highlights from the report of the 28-man commission:

1. High school education must be improved and should be provided for all normal youth.

2. Education through the college sophomore year (fourteenth grade) should be available in the same way that high school education is now available.

3. Financial assistance should be furnished needy students in the tenth through fourteenth grades.

More Scholarships Urged.

4. The present tendency of increasing tuition and other student fees in the senior college beyond the fourteenth year, and in both graduate and professional schools, should be reversed by lowering tuition costs in publicly controlled colleges and by aiding deserving students with a program of scholarships and fellowships.

5. Adult education should be expanded and colleges and universities should assume responsibility for more of it.

6. Public education at all levels should be equally accessible to all, without regard to race, creed, sex or national origin.

Basic instruction, said the commission, fails to prepare Americans for the problems of the Atomic Age, and must be revised to eliminate provincialism and discard outmoded European theories.

Segregation Condemned

Condemning racially segregated school systems which exist in 17 States and the District of Columbia, the commission declared, "Although segregation may not legally mean discrimination as to the quality of the facilities, it usually does so in fact."

In a firmly worded attack on "quota systems" in colleges and universities which discriminate against "certain minorities, particularly . . . Negroes and Jews," the commission labeled such action "certainly un-American," adding:

"This practice is a violation of a major American principle and is contributing to the growing tension in one of the crucial areas of our democracy."

The 103-page report, first of five main volumes, was released by President Truman with the request that citizens should "examine it carefully."

When he named the commission in July, 1946, with Dr. George F. Zook, president of the American Council on Education, as chairman, the President declared:

"As veterans return to college

See EDUCATE, Page 2, Column 1.

4 Nations Voted 597 Millions In Aid, Bill Rushed to Truman; GOP Price Controls Blocked

Rules Suspension Move Falls Short; Democrats Term Bill 'Deceitful'
Roll Call on Page 6)

By Alfred Friendly
Post Reporter

Prospects for anti-inflation legislation from the special session of Congress virtually vanished yesterday when House Democrats blocked rush action on what they called a "deceitful" bill.

Without a single rebel from the party line, they voted against suspending the rules to jam through the Wolcott bill, a measure which stressed "voluntary" agreement for allocations and priorities.

The vote was 202 to 188 in favor of suspending the rules and passing the bill. This was 58 votes short of the two-thirds majority required for such a procedure.

202 All Republicans

Voting against the suspension were 161 Democrats, 26 Republicans, many from farm areas, and one American Laborite. The 202 votes in favor of the bill were all GOP members.

Theoretically, it is now possible to have the Wolcott bill reappear on the House floor under a more liberal procedure, permitting extended debate and the offering of amendments.

But it appeared most unlikely that the Republicans would seek this course. Even if they did, it was even more unlikely that the bill could be processed through the House, much less the Senate, before Friday, the probable adjournment date.

Under the suspension-of-the-rules procedure, only 40 minutes of debate would be allowed and no amendments could be offered. Both sides spent most of their time accusing the other party of responsibility for failure to enact an inflation-control law in the special session.

Immediately after the vote was announced, Representative Patman (D., Tex.) made public a new piece of Administration legislation providing authority to "recontrol" some prices and wages. The bill was submitted to the House Banking and Currency Committee by the Secretaries of Commerce, Agriculture, Interior and Labor.

Would Fix Ceilings

Since the draft legislation covers the most controversial of all the phases in Mr. Truman's 10-point anti-inflation program, its submission was, for the present at least, fairly academic.

It took pains to disavow any intent to re-create the OPA. But it provided that Government agencies, under the direction of the President, could affix maximum prices to any commodity basically affecting the cost of living or industrial or agricultural production.

Ceilings would be fixed first at the wholesale level, the bill provided. They would remain unless Congress, by joint resolution, acted within 30 days to cancel them.

If the wholesale ceilings were not sufficient, the bill contemplated, prices could then be fixed

See CONTROLS, Page 8, Column 1.

Denfeld Now Heads Navy

Truman Picks Five Generals For High Command Promotion

By John G. Norris
Post Reporter

President Truman yesterday took the first step toward permanent postwar revision of the Army's high command status and nominated five top generals for three and four star rank.

He acted as the Navy gained a new commander. Admiral Louis E. Denfeld was sworn in as Chief of Naval Operations, the Navy's No. 1 post, for a two-year term.

Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, leader of the victorious across-the Pacific campaign against the Japs, was "piped over the side" and headed home to California for a long vacation.

The President took action under a recent law in fixing the rank of five top Army jobs.

The post of Deputy Chief of Staff was assigned four-star general's rank, and Lieut. Gen. "Lightning Joe" Collins was nominated to be a full general.

A new job as director of the Army educational system was created, and Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy was assigned to fill it with rank of lieutenant general. Formerly Chief of Army Information, he will also serve as commandant of the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

Maj. Gen. Henry S. Aurand, Army research chief, was assigned duty as director of the General Staff service, supply and procurement division, and nominated a lieutenant general. The research and development division Aurand has headed has been merged with the supply and procurement job.

The other two promotions gave three-star rank to the top General Staff personnel and intelligence posts. Maj. Gen. Willard S. Paul, present director of personnel and administration, and Maj. Gen. Stephen J. Chamberlin, director of intelligence, were nominated as lieutenant generals.

All five of the Army promotions are temporary while the officers hold the posts to which assigned.

Governor Picks Nimitz To Head Texas 'Navy'

Austin, Tex., Dec. 15 (AP).—Gov. Beauford H. Jester, today designated Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, a native Texan, as "Chief of Naval Operations of the Texas Navy." He commented that he did not think the duties would be burdensome.

Wartime temporary promotions to full general and lieutenant general were given to individuals. After next July 1, however, all such advanced rank will go with the job. Yesterday's appointments were the first made in changing over to the permanent postwar system.

Ceremonies attending the change in the Navy top command were witnessed by many of the Nation's highest-ranging officers. Secretary of the Navy John L. Sullivan hailed Admiral Nimitz as "one of

See ARMED, Page 7, Column 3.

Russian Prices Sky High Compared to New York's

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—The following table shows some of the extreme difference in new prices of consumer goods in Russia and in this country:

New York Prices	Russian Prices
Wheat bread, 1 lb. loaf, 17 cents	(2.204 lbs.) 54 cents
Sugar cubes, 1 lb., 14½ cents	(2.204 lbs.) $2.75
Coffee, 1 lb., 55 cents	(2.204 lbs.) $14.25
Butter, 1 lb., 97 cents	(2.204 lbs.) $11.78
Eggs, 1 dozen grade A, 89 cents	(10 eggs, first class) $1.90-$2.66
Milk, 1 quart, 22 cents	1.05 quarts) 48-67 cents
Czech Vodka 1/5 gal., $5.98	(½ litre) $11.47 (A litre is 1.05 quarts.)

Pauley Due To Resign Post In Early '48

Says He Set Deadline On Taking Job; Stassen Asks More Disclosures

By Edward T. Folliard
Post Reporter

Edwin W. Pauley's departure from the Government is imminent.

The big California millionaire, who has been under fire because of his profitable speculations in the grain and commodity markets, indicated in a statement last night that he would give up his $9975-a-year post as special assistant to the Secretary of the Army shortly after the New Year.

His statement came on top of the developments earlier in the day:

1. Harold E. Stassen, at a news conference, said that Pauley ought to "get out" of the Government, along with other "insiders" who speculated in the grain market.

2. Pauly's superior, Secretary of Army Kenneth Royall, called at the White House and conferred with President Truman.

Set January 3 Deadline

About three hours afterward, the Department of the Army issued the following statement by Special Assistant Pauley:

"I have not resigned, nor have I changed in any way my original plan of serving a temporary period with the Department of the Army—as announced on September 3

Distillers, Meat Institute Hit Food-Saving Program

President Truman's food conservation program was criticized from different angles yesterday by a large segment of the liquor industry and by the American Meat Institute. Story on page 5.

and explicitly stated by me in an interview appearing in The Washington Post of September 16—to be from three to four months.

"When I have finished the job, I will leave; not before."

Pauley's statement, taken literally, would indicate that the maximum deadline he set for himself back in September was January 3, 1948.

Stassen, in calling for Pauley's resignation, said also that President Truman should make public a complete list of Government insiders who had been dabbling in the foodstuffs markets and should tell the public, too, when he himself first became aware of ttheir speculative activities.

Asks Anderson for List

Meantime, on Capitol Hill, Senator Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, said his committee was determined to obtain a Government list of large traders and find out whether it contains the name of "a former Cabinet member now urging lower prices."

Bridges did not identify the man he had in mind.

He conferred with Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson late yesterday and asked for a list

See STASSEN, Page 5, Column 1.

Bread, Flour Beer Prices Cut by Soviet

Exchange of Rubles At Rate of 1 for 10 Will Begin Today

Moscow, Dec. 15 (AP).—The Soviet Union's 200 million citizens found out today what they will have to pay for food, drink and clothing with the new paper rubles their government will issue in its currency reform program for battling speculation and inflation.

The retail prices become effective tomorrow with the end of rationing. At the same time the banks will begin a week-long exchange of new rubles for old on a cash basis of one new ruble for 10 old ones.

On money already on deposit in savings banks the exchange rate is one new ruble for one old for the first 3000 rubles, 2 new for 3 old on the next 7000 and 1 new for 3 old on all above 10,000.

A man's worsted suit now will cost 1400 rubles in urban and 1300 in rural areas, and a woman's woolen dress 510 rubles in urban and 560 in rural areas.

Wages Not Affected

Wages are not affected by the new currency program, and retail prices will be under state control. (Purchasing power of the average worker and farmer remains the major factor. There were no figures on average wage scales, but a dispatch from Moscow in 1946 gave 1260 rubles as the monthly income of "an average Russian family."

(Such a family would have to save for a considerable period to afford a man's worsted suit for 1400 rubles or a woman's woolen dress for more than 500 rubles.)

The only commodities which will not come under price control will be at cooperative stores and on collective farm markets. These stores retain the right to price goods according to their own judgment, but it was apparent they could not charge higher prices than the unrationed state stores and get any business.

Some Commodities Cut

The new price list represented cuts of 10 to 12 per cent on bread, flour, cereals, macaroni and beer, compared with the ration store prices. But in a wide variety of other supplies, including milk, eggs, tea, fabrics, footwear and clothing an adjustment was ordered in the "existing high commercial prices" and the prices charged in ration stores.

Pravda, the Communist Party newspaper, said the new system would boost the real wages and result in "growth of the role of wages and cash income of the rural population."

It compared the Soviet economy with that of the capitalist countries and said:

"The capitalist monopolists take advantage of postwar economic and financial crises in such countries weakened by war as France and Italy, bringing pressure to bear upon them in the disguise of assistance in the form of the Marshall Plan, which, as is known, constitutes a plan of economic en-

See RUSSIA, Page 20, Column 5.

Lull Marks Fighting

Hunger Threatens Palestine As Communications Are Cut

Jerusalem, Dec. 15 (AP).—Palestine tonight faced the specter of hunger.

Zionist leaders charged the Palestine government with conducting a "systematic campaign to disarm" Jews and demanded withdrawal of Trans-Jordan Arab Legion troops from the Holy Land.

Arab leaders were described as building up their volunteer forces along Palestine's borders. Private sources said Arab women and children from 1000 families were being evacuated from Jerusalem to the Christian villages of Bethlehem and Beit Jala. The men remained behind.

Larger cities experienced severe food shortages caused by disruption of communications. Lines formed before bakeries in Jerusalem. Meat counters were bare. Prices were skyrocketing.

In the port of Haifa tons of imported goods piled up as more trucks were knocked out and frightened workers remained in their homes.

Jewish and foreign communities were the hardest hit since they depend on modern transportation methods. Donkeys and camels continued to carry food to the Arabs.

Although clashes continued, the day was classed as the quietest Palestine has experienced since the United Nations General Assembly voted for partition on November 29.

An Associated Press tabulation showed 249 persons had lost their lives in Palestine in fighting

See PALESTINE, Page 7, Col. 4.

Way Is Cleared For Marshall Plan Message; Friday Adjournment Day
(Roll Call on Page 8)

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

Congress yesterday overwhelmingly approved the conference compromise version of the 597 million dollar foreign aid bill and sped it to the White House for signature.

Clearing the way for the President's long range aid (Marshall plan) message later this week, the House passed the final interif relief bill, 313 to 82. The Senate earlier shouted voice vote approval.

The 597-million-dollar authorization, for France, Italy, Austria and China, faces a going over by the House Appropriations Committee today before actual funds are made available.

A deficiency subcommittee last night was reported to have whittled the cash outlay by 88 million dollars. The full Appropriations Committee will meet this morning to vote to cut or not to cut. The House will consider the implementing appropriation immediately thereafter.

Other Developments

There were these other developments as leaders moved to wind up special session business this Friday:

1. In one of the shortest White House legislative conferences on record, congressional leaders told the President their adjournment plans. They were in turn notified the Marshall Plan message will reach Congress before Friday.

2. The House Foreign Affairs Committee scheduled open hearings tomorrow on the Herter bill setting up a 500-million-dollar bipartisan Government corporation to handle the foreign recovery program.

3. Senate Appropriations Chairman Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) announced reopening of hearings on the interim outlay tomorrow to hear Lieut. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer. Wedemeyer last year made a study of conditions in China, but his report has never been released.

House and Senate final passage of the interim bill completed action four weeks from the day Mr. Truman summoned Congress back to meet the European and domestic emergency.

On the final vote, 161 House Republicans and 162 Democrats went on record for the bill. Seventy Republicans, 11 Democrats and Rep-

See AID, Page 6, Column 3.

Deep Run Bridge Collapse Drops Auto Into Stream

Warrenton, Va., Dec. 15 (Spl.). An undetermined number of persons were injured tonight when a bridge over Deep Run creek collapsed under their car, plunging it into 3 feet of water 12 feet below.

A short time later, a trailer truck "jack-knifed" off the approach onto the automobile. The bridge, on U. S. Highway 17, is on the Stafford-Fauquier County line about 21 miles southeast of here.

Italian Trading Ban to Be Lifted

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP).—The Securities and Exchange Commission announced today it will lift the wartime ban on trading in Italian securities on or about December 22.

The announcement was simultaneous with the filing of a $131,971,700 registration statement by the Italian government and two of its agencies.

Reds Reported Out of Bulgaria

London, Tuesday, Dec. 16 (AP).—The withdrawal of Soviet troops from Bulgaria in accordance with the terms of the Bulgarian peace treaty was completed yesterday, the Russian news agency Tass said today in a dispatch from Sofia.

Parents Ask Annexes Be Abandoned

Brown Junior High parents ask abandonment of Blow and Webb annexes and use of white Eliot Junior High School instead. Story on page B-1.

Also in today's paper:

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District Segregation In Education Hit

Negroes Given Less Opportunity, President's Commission Declares

District schools drew special fire from the President's Commission on Higher Education, as they did in the report of the President's Commission on Civil Rights.

Using the District's segregated schools as an example, the Commission on Higher Education declared yesterday:

"Marked as has been the progress in Negro education in recent years, it cannot obscure the very great differences which still persist in educational opportunities afforded the Negro and the non-Negro.

"The District's superintendent of schools in his 1946-47 report to the Board of Education states that the student-teacher ratio in the schools for Negroes were significantly and consistently higher than those for non-Negroes—from the kindergartens through the teachers' colleges."

Segregated in 17 States

In 17 States and the District of Columbia, the commission stated, segregation of the Negroes in public schools is established by law.

In support of this statement, the commission cited a decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in a case involving a challenge of segregation in California.

A United States District Court in that case held that segregation is unconstitutional under the Federal Constitution. The Court of Appeals, however, limited the ruling by stating that the statutes involved were illegal under California law.

Speaking of segregation as a national problem, the President's commission held that segregation brings these results:

"The schools maintained for the Negroes are commonly much inferior to those for the whites. The Negro schools are financed at a pitifully low level, they are often housed in buildings wholly inadequate for the purpose, and many of the teachers are sorely in need of more education themselves.

"Library facilities are generally poor or lacking altogether, and professional supervision is more a name than a reality."

To maintain two school systems with duplicate facilities means that neither can be of the quality that would be possible if all the resources were devoted to one system, the commission said.

Whites Also Affected

Thus, said the report, segregation lessens the quality of education for the whites as well.

Also, the commission added, it must not be supposed that Negro youth living in States in which segregation is not legalized are given the same opportunity as white youths.

"In these areas economic and social discrimination of various sorts often operates to produce segregation in certain neighborhoods, which are frequently characterized by poorer buildings, less equipment and less teachers."

Four of the 28 members of the President's commission registered dissent to the statements concerning with segregation, which was dealt with comparatively briefly in the report.

The next report of the commission, entitled "Equalizing and Expanding Individual Opportunity," will deal in greater detail with barriers to equal education, the commission said.

Commission on Higher Education Reports to President

Associated Press Photo

WHITE HOUSE SCENE—President Truman is shown as he received the recent report of his Commission on Higher Education. Members shown here, from left, are: the Very Rev. Msgr. Frederick G. Hochwalt, director, higher education division, National Catholic Welfare Conference; Dr. Alvin C. Eurich, vice president, Stanford University; Dr. O. C. Carmichael, president, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, New York; Dr. John R. Emens, president, Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Ind.; Agnes E. Meyer, newspaper writer and social worker, Washington, D. C.; Francis J. Brown, executive secretary of the commission; Dr. Earl J. McGrath, dean of the Callage of Liberal Arts, University of Iowa; Dr. Arthur H. Compton, chancellor, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. George F. Zook, commission chairman; Dr. T. R. McConnell, University of Minnesota, and Dr. Martin P. McGuire, Catholic University. President Truman is seated in the center

EDUCATE—*From Page 1*

Doubled College Enrollment Proposed With Federal Aid

by the hundreds of thousands . . . it seems particularly important . . . that we should now reexamine our system of higher education in terms of its objectives, methods and facilities, and in the light of the social role it has to play . . ."

The commission includes educators, churchmen, journalists and an agricultural representative.

Only dissent noted in the report was on the segregation statements, where four members of the commission recorded dissent. Basis of their differences is to be detailed later.

Those who failed to agree with the views on segregation were Arthur H. Compton, chancellor of Washington University, St. Louis; Douglas S. Freeman, editor of the Richmond (Va.) News Leader; Lewis W. Jones, president of the University of Arkansas, and Goodrich White, president of Emory University.

Community Colleges Urged

Stating that, "the old, comfortable idea that 'any boy can get a college education who has it in him' simply is not true," the commission urged the establishment of two-year community colleges across the Nation, similar to junior colleges.

Studies of the Army general classification test, given to 10 million soldiers, show that "at least 49 per cent of our population has the mental ability to complete 14 years of schooling," said the report, and:

"At least 32 per cent of our population has the mental ability to complete an advanced liberal or specialized professional education."

College attendance, said the commission, should be increased to a minimum of 4,600,000 by 1960, compared to present enrollment of 2,340,000

Professional and graduate schools should enroll 600,000 by that date, compared to the present 175,000.

Funds to stimulate, "the radical character of the adjustments required," must be provided by the Federal Government, said the report, but details of the proposed Federal aid were left to later reports.

Sees Analogy in War Training

"The Federal Government assumes responsibility for supplementing State and local efforts in military defense against the Nation's enemies without; surely it may as justifiably assume responsibility for supplementing State and local efforts against educational deficiencies and inequalities that are democracy's enemies within."

The commission pointed out that contrary to the general belief that increasing funds are being spent on education, these sums have decreased as measured by the Nation's productivity, although the actual dollars spent have increased.

Said the commission:

"The one billion dollars we have put into our colleges and universities in 1947 was less than one half of 1 per cent of the gross national product, which is the market value of all the goods and services produced in the country in that year."

In preparing the report, which is a basic summary of other reports to follow, the President's commission listed three main goals:

1. Education for a fuller realization of democracy in every phase of living.

2. Education directly and explicitly for international understanding and cooperation.

Should Teach Democracy

3. Education for the application of creative imagination and trained intelligence to the solution of social problems and to the administration of public affairs.

"If we cannot achieve a fuller realization of democracy in the United States, we are not likely to secure its adoption willingly outside the United States," the commission said.

Throughout the report the commission stressed the need for a better basic education, and deplored the tendency among colleges for overspecialization. And one of these basic needs, said the report, is a "fuller realization of democracy."

A starting point for such teachings should be on the campus itself. "Young people cannot be expected to develop a firm allegiance to the democratic faith they are taught in the classroom if their campus life is carried on in an authoritarian atmosphere."

To attain international cooperation, said the commission, colleges should develop an "international mind," for at present, "the American people are not adequately prepared for world citizenship."

Asiatics constitute the largest single segment of the human race, the report declared, yet American undergraduates and graduates know little about the Orient.

Study of Russia Urged

"The vast Russian state . . . is one of the world's greatest powers . . . yet the average American college graduate knows almost nothing about Russia."

To correct such defects, the commission declared, would require, as one example, "a major publishing enterprise" to make sufficient textbooks available.

Pointing to how development of the social sciences has fallen behind the physical sciences, the commission declared that the scientists who invented the atom bomb now seek a defense against the bomb from the social scientists—while we have failed to develop a "positive social policy."

Declaring that "the destiny of mankind today rests as much with the social sciences as with the natural sciences," the commission stated:

"It will be little short of tragic if provision for social research is not included in the program of Federal support and organization planned under a National Science Foundation."

Because of over-specialization in the basic college structure, the report found, "too often" the student "is 'educated' in that he has acquired competence in some particular occupation, yet falls short of that human wholeness and civic conscience which the cooperative activities of citizenship require."

Liberal Programs Favored

Colleges and universities were urged to work for rounded programs for all students, to include field experience off the campus, as practiced by some institutions now, and "to acquire the knowledge and attitudes basic to a satisfying family life."

"The idea has long prevailed in our tradition . . . that a liberal education is one thing and professional or vocational education is another, that the two should be sharply differentiated, that one is preparation for labor, the other for leisure."

Among the barriers to education: "For the great majority of our boys and girls, the kind and amount of education they may hope to attain depends, not on their own abilities, but on the family or community into which they happen to be born or, worse still, on the color of their skin or the religion of their parents."

In addition to the basic disadvantages operating against low-income groups, the commission said there has been a tendency for the college student to bear an increasing share of the cost of his own education.

"Even in State-supported institutions we have been moving away from the principle of free education to a much greater degree than is commonly supposed."

Would Level Economic Barrier

This goal was set by the commission to equalize educational opportunity:

". . . an educational system in which at no level—high school, college, graduate school or professional school—will a qualified individual in any part of the country encounter an insuperable economic barrier to the attainment of the kind of education suited to his aptitudes and interests."

The only possible solution, said the commission, is to raise economic and cultural levels in less advanced areas, but in the meantime, to provide outside assistance.

The proposed system of community colleges, which form the basis of the commission's expanded educational system would provide a two-year general education.

In many fields, the report said, there are five jobs requiring two years of college for every job requiring four years.

The community college, in addition, would be the center of community learning, with a large adult enrollment.

In recommending extensive expansion of professional and graduate schools, the commission estimated that this Nation will need one million new teachers by 1960; 26,000 to 30,000 more doctors; 48,000 more dentists and 554,200 more nurses.

The report declared that "the tendency in some professions to restrict numbers arbitrarily in order to maintain the prestige of the profession and the market value of its services" is as wholly indefensible as "quota systems."

Five More Reports Scheduled

In the graduate field, the commission found that the graduate-school program of training college teachers is "seriously inadequate," because of narrow specialization.

Without teachers with broader views and more intellectual curiosity, "general education and liberal education of broadened scope are impossible."

Next report of the findings of the presidential commission is expected on December 22. It will be followed by three more major reports and a sixth report entitled "Resource Data," a compilation of data used in the commission's study.

Commission Members:

The full commission consists of: George F. Zook, president of the American Council on Education and commission chairman; Arthur H. Compton, chancellor of Washington University; Earl J. McGrath, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, University of Iowa; A. D. Henderson, president of Antioch College; Fred D. Patterson, president of Tuskegee Institute; Sarah Blanding, president of Vassar College; Milton Eisenhower, president of Kansas State College.

The Very Rev. Frederick G. Hochwald, director of higher education division, National Catholic Welfare Conference; Agnes E. Meyer, newspaper writer and social worker, and wife of the chairman of the board of The Washington Post; Florence M. Kallen, dean of the graduate faculty of political and social science, New School for Social Research; Alvin Eurich, vice president, Stanford University.

Goodrich White, president of Emory University; John Emens, president of Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Ind.; Henry A. Dixon, president of Webster Junior College; Ordway Tead, president of New York City's Board of Education; T. R. McConnell, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, University of Minnesota; Harry Newburn, president of Oregon University System (Eugene, Ore.); George Stoddard, president of University of Illinois.

Martin P. McGuire, dean of the Graduate School, Catholic University; Lewis Jones, president of University of Arkansas; Fred J. Kelley, former director of Division of Higher Education, United States Office of Education; Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, former president of Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America; Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, president of American Jewish Congress.

Harold Swift, chairman board of trustees of University of Chicago; O. C. Carmichael, president of Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching; Mark Starr, educational director, International Ladies' Garment Workers Union; Murray D. Lincoln, president of Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, and Douglas S. Freeman, editor of the Richmond (Va.) News-Leader.

Executive secretary of the commission is Dr. Francis J. Brown, staff associate of the American Council on Education. A. D. Sands, Jr., is assistant executive secretary.

WESTERN—*From Page 1*

Western Union Strike Called

a. m., New Year's Day, if its 1948 contract has not been negotiated by then.

"The strike action," declared Brungs yesterday "is the culmination of three months of fruitless negotiations with the Western Union Telegraph Co., a public utility monopoly which has consistently refused to submit a counter-proposal to the union's demands for a 15-cent-an-hour increase, originally made September 16."

Besides public facilities for sending telegrams throughout the country, other less known services of the company which will be affected include the stock, grain and cotton exchanges, aviation telegraph circuits (particularly its weather reports service) incoming and outgoing cables, and press associations using Western Union facilities, Brungs said.

Concerning today's meeting, Brungs said the union would consider calling off the strike date if the company agreed to final and binding arbitration of the wage increase demand.

"Arbitration that is not final and binding on all parties is meaningless," he declared.

Brungs said the unions agreed to binding arbitration proposed by a Federal conciliator at the union's last joint meeting with company representatives, December 4, but that the company rejected the proposal.

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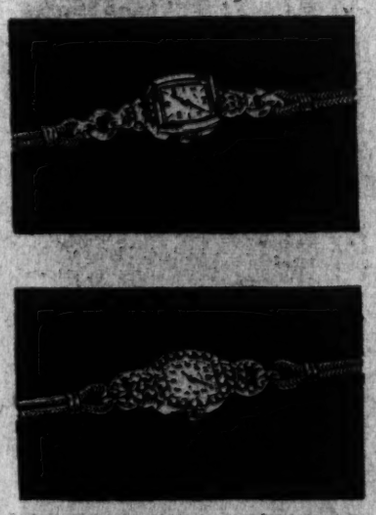

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Negro Rail Firemen Given Job Security

Supreme Court Agrees Carriers Can't Fire 'Non-Promotable' Under Quota Plan

By Dillard Stokes
Post Reporter

A Federal Court order protecting Negro railroad firemen in their jobs became final yesterday, when the Supreme Court turned down an appeal from it.

At the same time, the justices granted a hearing to nine Negroes who claim members of their race were kept off the North Carolina juries that sent them to jail.

The court's action on the firemen's case struck the last legal blow at a contract between Southern railroads and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, which would have cost many Negroes their jobs.

Negroes "Nonpromotable"

There are many Negro railroad firemen, but no roads hire Negroes as engineers. Because of that, there are two classes of "nonpromotable" firemen:

1. Negroes.
2. Whites who cannot pass, or do not take tests for promotion.

Jobs are given on the basis of time in service, so nonpromotable men have most of the good runs.

The Work Sheet

The justices this term have handed down	Opinions	Dissents	Concurring opinions	Total
Douglas	4	1	0	5
Black	2	1	0	3
Reed	2	0	0	2
Rutledge	2	1	0	3
Frankfurter	1	2	0	3
Vinson	1	0	0	1
Jackson	1	2	0	3
Burton	0	2	0	2
Murphy	0	2	0	2
All justices	14	10	0	24

Promotable men often rise to engineer without much chance to work as firemen.

The brotherhood six years ago made a contract with the roads to limit nonpromotable men to half of the jobs, and by other agreements made the limit apply to Negroes only.

Tom Tunstall, a non-promotable man on the Norfolk Southern Railroad, went to court to block this agreement. After the Supreme Court ordered his case heard, he got a court order against the contract, and $1000 damages for loss of work. Judge John J. Parker of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals upheld Tunstall's victory, saying that even though the brotherhood did not admit Negro members it was bound by law to bargain for them on fair and even terms. Chiseling the Negroes out of their jobs with quotas was not fair and even bargaining, Parker added, saying "a discrimination based on race or color cannot stand."

Rehearing Believed Unlikely

Subject to the chance that the Supreme Court will change its mind, and grant a rehearing—a very rare thing—yesterday's order ends the case, and the brotherhood's contract.

Several years ago, a laundry workers' strike in Winston-Salem, N. C., led to street fights in which nine Negroes were arrested. They asked for—and were given—jury trials. When the trials began, the Negroes protested the juries were hand-picked, because the local officials kept separate lists of white and Negro jurors. They said that 45 per cent of the 150,000 people in the county were colored, yet only 12 of the 4000 persons called as jurors in 10 years were Negroes. The trial court overruled these protests and the nine got sentences ranging from 30 days in jail to 18 months on the roads.

Upon losing their appeals in the North Carolina Supreme Court, the nine asked the justices here for a hearing. This was granted yesterday, with each side being given only half an hour for argument.

Taft-Hartley Ruling Ordered

Just last week, the Supreme Court saved Eddie (Buster) Patton from the Mississippi death chair, when he showed that for 30 years there had been no Negro juryman in the county where he was tried. Justice Black said for the court, in Patton's case, that where any race or group was kept off juries, the judgments of such puries could not stand.

The court yesterday also:

Ordered the United States Court of Appeals at Cincinnati to weigh the constitutionality of the Taft-Hartley Act clause against foremen's unions;

Upheld the right of a State (Indiana) to regulate an interstate pipeline which sells natural gas in the State; and

Heard appeals of several large movie companies accused of breaking the antitrust laws.

Only six justices were on the bench yesterday. Justice Murphy was in Georgetown Hospital with flu, Justice Reed was reported to have a cold, and Justice Jackson did not take part in the movie cases.

Brownie Gets a New Paw

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

CANINE "AMPUTEE"—Brownie, who lost his paw in a lawnmower, tries on his new artificial member, designed by Dr. Everett Yaros, Reading, Pa., veterinarian. The dog's mistress, Pauline Shade adjusts it as doctor's son, Kenny watches

Yule Message Condemned

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—The New York State Council of the Knights of Columbus, which has 85,000 members, has condemned a set of six Christmas cards bearing a message by Henry A. Wallace as an "atheistic attack against our Christian belief and the things we hold sacred."

Wallace was not immediately available for comment.

The protest, in the form of open letters to the public, said:

"The cards were designed as an attack against those who believe in the Nativity of our Lord . . . We resent individuals and organizations whose policy is designed to foment discord among the peoples of our country."

The council branded "sacrilegious and obscene" a card entitled "Mother and Child" by Joseph Hirsch, described as showing a nude woman and child.

Wallace's printed message on the cards said: "I hear no armies marching. I hear only a world crying out for peace."

JILLSON—From Page 1

Mother Given Custody of Son

standing by, walked away, the boy followed him hurriedly. At one point during a stay in court proceedings, the boy cried when he was left for a moment with his mother by his grandmother and his father.

The boy had been ordered brought down from the grandmother's home at Pearl River, N. Y., by Judge Letts to appear in court yesterday. He was not called by the court, however, as proceedings were taken up with nearly day-long questioning of the father, a former Army major, and with the brief appearance of Dr. Joseph L. Gilbert, head of the Gallinger Hospital department of mental diseases.

John J. O'Brien, attorney for Jillson, summoned Dr. Gilbert. Under questioning, Dr. Gilbert said he had no recollection of the case, in January, 1945, of Mrs. Jillson, who had been taken to Gallinger Hospital in what her suit charges was an attempt by her husband to have her declared insane.

Jillson, who is charging his wife with adultery and is asking custoday of the child, said that on one occasion his wife had threatened to "burn my eyes out with cigarette butts" if he slept in their apartment bedroom.

Jean Boardman, attorney for Mrs. Jillson, asked Jillson what fee he had paid to Dr. Frank C. Caprio (against whom Mrs. Jillson has filed a $100,000 suit charging him with "falsely, wantonly and recklessly" informing police that she was insane and dangerous) on the night he had summoned the doctor to their apartment at 1841 R st. nw.

"Is it not a fact," asked Boardman, "that you knew your wife was going to be taken (to Gallinger Hospital) by force when you were asked to step out of the room?"

"Didn't you hear your wife screaming, and didn't you stay out of the room and not intervene?" pounded Boardman.

"I heard some noise," said Jillson.

"Isn't it true that after she was taken out of the apartment, and to the car, you took her feet and put them in the car?"

Jillson admitted that he had. He said he did not know whether his wife had been unconscious at that time or shortly before.

Jillson told the court he had paid Dr. Caprio a fee of $50. Boardman asked "For a half hour's work?" and Jillson responded "For his fee."

Boardman asked Jillson if it were not true that "the boy George was conceived during a period of separation (testimony yesterday established several such periods)?"

Jillson said "Yes," then quickly, "No." He did not answer Boardman's question as to why he had changed his answer.

Today's session is expected to include testimony by a Wac, Marjorie Smith, who is said to have been at the Jillson's apartment at the time Jillson says he found his wife in a "compromising position" with Lieut. Comdr. George Cantzlaar.

Second Knock in Alimony Case Opens Supreme Court Door

Now the lawyers can unlift their eyebrows and relax. The Supreme Court has fixed up that little mistake about the divorce cases.

Here's what happened: Back in the early forties, Mrs. Helene Krieger and Mrs. Gertrude Estin got legal separations—with alimony—in New York. Later on, their husbands—Joseph Estin and Louis Krieger—went to Reno and got divorces.

But the husbands weren't done with courts.

It wasn't long until Mrs. Estin asked the New York courts to make Estin pay up about $2400 in back alimony. She won.

Mrs. Krieger then asked for about $4000 worth of the same. She won, too, on the authority of the Estin decision. The judges said the cases were just alike.

The husbands came right to the Supreme Court. They said it was well settled law that a legal divorce put a stop to alimony that had been ordered in earlier cases.

The Supreme Court Justices turned Estin down on October 13, and that was that. Everything was all right until November 24. And then legal eyebrows went up around the country.

Because on November 24 the justices decided to hear the appeal brought by Krieger—whose case, remember, was just like Estin's, which they'd turned down.

Estin's lawyers—Wing, Purdy and Nydick of New York—at once put in a complaint that compares very well with the more feeling remarks of some ballplayers to some umpires. Unlike umpires, the justices listened and said yesterday they would give Estin the same break they did Krieger.

Both cases will be heard at the same time, some time next year.

Unwanted There, Russians Here Pose Problem

The Government disclosed yesterday that there are between 160 and 180 deportable Russian aliens in this country, but nothing can be done about them because the Soviet Union "won't take them."

"There isn't any other country to which we can send them," Immigration Commissioner Watson B. Miller told a Senate Judiciary subcommittee which met to consider his job qualifications. He has been serving under a recess appointment.

The subcommittee later approved Miller's appointment.

Under immigation laws, aliens can only be deported to their own countries. Miller said that a lot of the unwanted Russians are free under habeas corpus writs or in custody of their attorneys pending the outcome of efforts to send them home.

Dr. Cameron Honored By Berryville Masons

Berryville, Va., Dec. 15—Dr. William D. Cameron, jr., has been elected worshipful master of Treadwell Lodge 213 A. F. and A. M. here to succeed Lewis F. Stolle.

Other new officers are T. G. Howell, Harry A. Simmons, Reginald G. Morrison, Col. Ernest J. Risedt, Edward Barnett, A. L. Crumpler, Charles J. Edners, and S. G. O'Bryan.

Rev. McDonald Heads Clarke Fund Committee

Berryville, Va., Dec. 15.—The Rev. R. K. McDonald has been named chairman of the Clarke County Food Conservation Committee. Other members are Mrs. Graham Dougherty, Mrs. Walter Wisecarver, Lynnwood Wheeler, Dr. William Cameron, Miss Sarah M. Sipe, and G. Kenneth Levi.

Farmer Slays Cattle Buyer, Burns His Body

Council Bluffs Iowa, Dec. 15 (AP). A farmer has admitted he shot a wealthy cattle buyer and cut his body into small pieces to make it burn faster, police said today.

The man, C. R. Bruntlett, 50, a former convict, related that he forced Percy J. Smith, 57, missing since last Monday, to write a $9800 check, ostensibly for 60 head of cattle, and then shot him twice in the head.

The farmer then piled cobs on Smith's body, added kerosene, and set it afire. He scattered the remains in a cornfield.

Bruniett declared he needed the money to cover gambling losses.

Slides to Escape Airliners Installed

Santa Monica, Calif., Dec. 15 (AP). Slides to expedite the escape of passengers from airliners which have made emergency landings are being installed on American Airlines four-engine planes, William K. Andrews of the Civil Aeronautics Board disclosed today.

Tax Overcharge Alleged in Md.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—A delegation from the Western Maryland Labor Unity Conference complained to the mayor of the city council today that many stores in the Cumberland area overcharge in collecting the 2 per cent Maryland sales tax.

They said a person making three separate 15-cent purchases in a store often is charged 1 cent tax on each purchase, making the tax about 14 per cent.

Most union locals in this area are members of the unity conference, including CIO, AFL and independent organizations.

Stolen Car Recovered In Winchester Chase

Winchester, Va., Dec. 15—A car stolen in Harrisonburg was retrieved here after a wild chase by two foot policemen. Officers Ernest Stotler and George Conard said they finally trapped the driver in a blind alley after he had jumped from the automobile. Fred E. Unger of Route 1, Security, Md., the driver, was returned to Harrisonburg to face charges.

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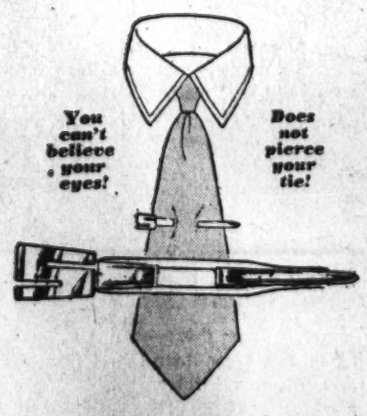

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Arraignment Delay Denied 10 Film Figures

By Mary Spargo
Post Reporter

Arraignment of 10 Hollywood film figures charged with contempt of Congress was set yesterday for January 9 after Justice David A. Pine refused to permit arraignment on the day of trial.

Through attorneys Martin Popper and Warren L. Sharfman, the 10 had asked that they be spared an extra trip across the country to appear both for arraignment and later trial.

Pine sternly pointed out that the 10 defendants were charged with "a serious offense" and that they had already exhausted every legal means to avoid appearance before the court here.

Refusal Explained

"I feel that to grant such a request," Pine said, "might result in confusion, misrepresentation and delay."

He said he found no representations before the court which would compel it to give special consideration and added he would have to "let the law take its course."

"Therefore, I deny your request," Pine said.

The 10 writers, directors and producers were indicted by a District grand jury for contempt of Congress after they had refused to answer questions of the House Committee on Un-American Activities as to whether or not they were Communists. Communist Party membership cards of the 10 were put in evidence before the committee.

District Attorney George Morris Fay, who had opposed deferring arraignment until date of trial, then said the Government would have no objection to postponing arraignment from a tentatively scheduled date of December 9 until January 2.

Fay told the court such a postponement would enable the defendants to be sure of transportation across the country.

Pine said such a request was not before the court.

Popper then asked that such a postponement be granted.

Pine still appeared reluctant to postpone the December 19 date.

Don't Like Air Travel

Finally he said he was not inclined to postpone it unless there were representations before the court that the defendants did not care to travel by airplane, the only way they could get here by December 19.

Popper said he made such representation on behalf of all 10.

Pine, after consulting his calendar, then set the date as January 9.

Discussion of date of arraignment held the attention of the court for approximately 40 minutes.

Priest Charges Atheism Taught In Newton School

Newton, Mass., Dec. 15 (AP).—A Roman Catholic priest's charges that a Newton junior high school teacher was promoting atheism in the classroom today led school officials to announce they would investigate.

The Rev. Thomas Murphy denounced the teacher from the altar yesterday but declined to name him publicly, and urged parents to "take some action."

Father Murphy charged the teacher told his students there was no God, that Adam and Eve were mythical biblical characters, that man was not created but was evolved from lower forms of life.

Tax Association to Meet

The Arlington County Taxpayers and Property Owners Association will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the courthouse to discuss county taxes.

Bills Authorize Increase in FHA Insurances

Legislation increasing by 750 million dollars the authorization of the Federal Housing Administration to insure mortgages on new residential construction passed the House yesterday, 390 to 4.

Of the total increase, 250 million dollars would be available immediately and 500 million only with the approval of the President.

The Senate has passed a similar bill making 500 million dollars immediately available and reserving 350 million to the discretion of the President. Before the bill goes to the White House the differences must be adjusted.

Chairman Wolcott (R., Mich.) of the Banking Committee told the House the legislation is necessary to meet heavy applications for mortgage insurance for private home construction.

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Meat Institute, Distillers Hit Food Program

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

A double-barreled attack on President Truman's food conservation program was opened yesterday.

1. One large segment of the liquor industry, the Kentucky Distillers Association, declared "the Government's food-conservation program is fostering a monopoly in the distilling industry."

2. The American Meat Institute declared that meatless days, or the "eat less meat program" won't "help much, if at all."

"Eating less meat now by an individual family could have no possible effect on the present supply of food grains or feed grains," AMI reported.

"The fact is that more than 80 per cent of our beef is produced from such feeds as grass, hay and forage, and about 50 per cent of all meat produced results from nongrain feeds."

May Cut Farm Efficiency

To cut down on meat consumption now, the institute says, may "have the effect of disrupting farmers' programs to the extent that they will be induced to liquidate efficient herds and flocks. This would mean less meat in the future and would deprive the farmer of a market for feed grains, hay and other roughage."

The blast of the Kentucky liquor makers almost assured that plans for a voluntary slowdown of grain consumption, to be asked of the distillers by the Government tomorrow, will fail.

Millard Cox, counsel for the Kentucky group, declared that any attempt to limit grain consumption by distillers as suggested by the Department of Agriculture—a limitation to 2,500,000 bushels of grain a month for all distillers—would give an advantage to one distiller—Publicker Industries of Philadelphia.

Publicker Monopoly Feared

Publicker, he said, is a large manufacturer of beverage spirits. The Publicker plant is a "wartime expansion" he said.

The Government program, Cox said, would give Publicker about 20 per cent of the grain allowed for distillers, although "historically," or prewar, it made only 2.8 per cent of the whisky made in the country.

The same monopoly would be granted Publicker, he said, if the present complete shutdown of the industry were continued, because Publicker, with its large supply of "beverage spirits" or grain alcohol would be able to force the trade to buy at its own price the spirits valuable in blending whisky."

At tomorrow's meeting, it was reported, a large independent, Schenley's, Inc., will refuse to be bound by any voluntary restrictions.

STASSEN—From Page 1

Pauley Due To Quit Soon

of traders. He said that Anderson took the position that, under the law, he could not provide it. Today Bridges plans to write a letter to Anderson, formally requesting the list.

Stassen, a candidate for the Republican nomination for President in 1948, touched off the inquiry last week with a speech at Doylestown, Pa., in which he named Pauley.

Pauley, called before the Senate Appropriations Committee Friday, admitted that he had done "rather well" in his speculations, but insisted that what he had done was entirely legal and in "the good old American way."

Stassen yesterday conferred with Senator Bridges and Representative Charles Halleck (R., Ind.), majority leader of the House, and at a news conference in the Statler later said they had assured him his charges would be given a thorough investigation.

He said that such an investigation would show that profiting by Government insiders and the purchasing activities of the Government itself "have resulted in higher prices than otherwise would need to have occurred during 1947."

"It is our . . . information," he said, "that these insiders have been getting out of the market quite rapidly of late.

"But it is my view that it's not enough that they get out of the market; they should get out of the Government.

"This whole question of our food prices is so closely related to the future stability of the American economy and to the success of our crucial European aid program, that I think the most insistent demand should be made for a complete disclosure of facts and for legislative action to see to it that it never happens again."

In response to a question, Stassen said that he meant Pauley should resign—and "all others . . . in the same circumstances."

"I will say positively," Stassen added, "that he (Pauley) is not the only one; additional names will be disclosed in the course of the investigation."

Stassen said that his research staff set out months ago to analyze the way in which the Government was carrying on its food-purchasing program. He said the operations of the Government just didn't make sense—that the purchases were unintelligent and handled in clumsy fashion.

"But as we proceeded with our study," he said, "it became apparent that there was more than lack of intelligence involved; that it fitted into a pattern of private operations by insiders. . . ."

"Do you mean," he was asked, "that these speculators were either able to control or have information about Government buying?"

"I mean, first of all," Stassen replied, "that the Government's own operations were not intelligent on behalf of the American people; and, secondly, the operations of individuals took advantage of what, on its face, appeared to be the unintelligent action of Government officials."

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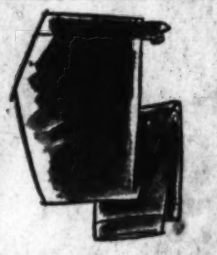

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AID—*From Page 1*

597 Millions in Aid Voted Four Nations by Congress

resentative Vito Marcantonio (A. L. P., N. Y.) voted "No."

The Senate, which originally voted 83 to 6 for stopgap aid, adopted the conference report without a roll call.

In the Senate, Foreign Relations Chairman Arthur H. Vandenberg (R., Mich.), and in the House, Representative John M. Vorys (R., Ohio), briefly outlined the terms of the conference compromise.

Subject to later action by Congress on the money, this counts China in on the Administration's program for western Europe but with the plain implication that no funds need be provided for China at this time.

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation would be empowered to advance 150 million dollars at once to start interim food, fuel, fertilizer and other relief goods on their way.

Truman Gives Say

A rigid House requirement that the United States retain a 150-million-bushel wheat carry-over in this country was modified to give the President discretionary say.

In lieu of the flat House ban on aid to countries coming under communistic sway, the President was authorized to stop shipments to any country if "changed conditions" make further help contrary to our national interest.

Nations receiving aid would set up trust funds in their own currency equal to the cost of the supplies they receive. Subject to agreements with this country, these funds could be used to buy more relief.

Would Permit Observers

Agreements with this country also would bind each recipient to permit American officials, press and radio representatives to observe and report on relief distribution.

Apparently only one provision of the compromise caused the Administration concern—a stipulation that not more than 10 per cent of the supplies can be bought abroad at costs higher than the delivered prices from this country.

Designed to help western Europe keep on its feet until Congress approve long-range recovery funds, passage now clears decks for the main event Marshall Plan. In his talk with leaders yesterday, the President disclosed no details of the latter. A 20-page message, possibly delivered to Congress Thursday, is believed to envisage a 16½-billion-dollar, four-year program, including an initial 15-month outlay of 7½ billions.

China Main Topic

esterday's perfunctory Senate debate centered mainly around China. Under questioning, Vandenberg said China "richly deserves" American aid, but there is no point in providing funds until the Administration comes forward with a plan.

"Money without a plan is rathole money," he said.

Senate Appropriations Chairman Bridges charged the Administration "has bungled for years in its China policy."

Senator Claude Pepper (D., Fla.) said he did not want to see China "turned into another Spain."

"What we are expected to do is take the 'right' side in a civil war," said Pepper. "We should not take either side."

Bridges retorted that he did not want China to become "a satellite of Russia . . . or another Yugoslavia or Hungary."

Vandenberg said he agreed with Secretary Marshall that the Chinese government, under Chiang Kai-shek, needs to be "scrubbed up" and liberalized, but challenged a blanket charge of "corruption" aimed by Pepper. He said he recognized the difficulties facing Chiang and said he wanted to make "at least the reservation that this man has been the sole hope of whatever democracy there was in China."

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Republicans For (151)

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Democrats For (152)

ALBERT (Okla.), ALMOND (Va.), ANDREWS (Ala.), BATTLE (Ala.), BECKWORTH (Tex.), BELL (Mo.), BLATNIK (Mich.), BLOOM (N. Y.), BONNER (N. C.), BOYKIN (Ala.), BROWN (Ga.), BRYSON (S. C.), BUCHANAN (Pa.), BULWINKLE (N. C.), BURLESON (Tex.), BYRNE (N. Y.), CANNON (Mo.), CARROLL (Colo.), CHAPMAN (Ky.), CHELF (Ky.), CLARK (N. C.), COMBS (Tex.), COOLEY (N. C.), COOPER (Tenn.), COURTNEY (Tenn.), COX (Ga.), CRAFTENS (Ark.), CROSSER (Ohio), DEANE (N. C.), DELANEY (N. Y.), DINGELL (Mich.), DOMENGEAUX (La.), DONOHUE (Mass.), DOUGHTON (N. C.), DOUGLAS (Calif.), DREWRY (Va.), DURHAM (N. C.), EBERHARTER (Pa.), ELLIOTT (Calif.), ENGLE (Calif.), EVINS (Tenn.), FALLON (Md.), FEIGHAN (Ohio), FERNANDEZ (N. M.), FISHER (Tex.), FLANNAGAN (Va.), FOGARTY (R. I.), FOLGER (N. C.), FORAND (R. I.), GARMATZ (Md.), GARY (Va.), GORDON (Ill.), GORE (Tenn.), GORSKI (Ill.), GOSSETT (Tex.), GRANGER (Utah), GRANT (Ala.), GREGORY (Ky.), HARDY (Va.), HARLESS (Ariz.), HARRISON (Va.), HAVENNER (Calif.), HEDRICK (W. Va.), HEFFERNAN (N. Y.), HENDRICKS (Fla.), HOBBS (Ala.), HOLIFIELD (Calif.), HUBER (Ohio), JACKSON (Wash.), JARMAN (Ala.), JOHNSON (Tex.), JONES (Ala.), JONES (N. C.), KARSTEN (Mo.), KEE (W. Va.), KEFAUVER (Tenn.), KENNEDY (Mass.), KEOGH (N. Y.), KERR (N. C.), KILDAY (Tex.), KING (Calif.), KIRWAN (Ohio), KLEIN (N. Y.), LANE (Mass.), LANHAM (Ga.), LEA (Calif.), LESINSKI (Mich.), LUCAS (Tex.), LUDLOW (Ind.), LUSK (N. Mex.), LYLE (Tex.), LYNCH (N. Y.), McCORMACK (Mass.), McMILLAN (S. C.), MADDEN (Ind.), MAHON (Tex.), MANASCO (Ala.), MARSFIELD (Mont.), MEADE (Md.), MILLER (Calif.), MILLS (Ark.), MONRONEY (Okla.), MORGAN (Pa.), MORRIS (Okla.), MULTER (N. Y.), MURDOCK (Ariz.), MURRAY (Tenn.), NORRELL (Ark.), NORTON (N. J.), O'BRIEN (Ill.), O'TOOLE (N. Y.), PACE (Ga.), PATMAN (Tex.), PEDEN (Okla.), PETERSON (Fla.), PFEIFER (N. Y.), PHILBIN (Mass.), POAGE (Tex.), PRESTON (Ga.), PRICE (Fla.), PRICE (Ill.), PRIEST (Tenn.), RAINS (Ala.), RAYBURN (Tex.), REDDEN (N. C.), REGAN (Tex.), RICHARDS (S. C.), RILEY (S. C.), ROGERS (Fla.), ROONEY (N. Y.), SADOWSKI (Mich.), SASSCER (Md.), SHEPPARD (Calif.), SIKES (Fla.), SMATHERS (Fla.), SMITH (Va.), SOMERS (N. Y.), SPENCE (Ky.), STANLEY (Va.), STIGLER (Okla.), TEAGUE (Tex.), THOMAS (Tex.), THOMPSON (Tex.), VINSON (Ga.), WALTER (Pa.), WEST (Tex.), WHEELER (Ga.), WHITTINGTON (Miss.), WILSON (Tex.), WOOD (Ga.), WORLEY (Tex.), ZIMMERMAN (Mo.)

Republicans Against (70)

ALLEN (Ill.), ARNOLD (Md.), BANTA (Ind.), BENNETT (Mich.), BENNETT (Mo.), BISHOP (Ill.), BRUMM (Ohio), BUFFETT (Nebr.), CASE (S. Dak.), CHIPERFIELD (Ill.), CHURCH (Ill.), CLEVENGER (Ohio), COLE (Mo.), CRAWFORD (Mich.), CURTIS (Nebr.), ELLIS (W. Va.), GILLIE (Ind.), GRANT (Ind.), GRIFFITHS (Ohio), GROSS (Pa.), GWINN (N. Y.), GWYNNE (Iowa), HAND (N. J.), HARNESS (Ind.), HARVEY (Ind.), HOFFMAN (Mich.), HULL (Ill.), JENKINS (Tenn.), JOHNSON (Ill.), JOHNSON (Ind.), JONKMAN (Mich.), KEARNS (Pa.), KNUTSON (Minn.), LANDIS (Ind.), LEMKE (N. Dak.), LOVE (W. Va.), McCOWEN (Ohio), McCULLOCH (Ohio), McGREGOR (Ohio), MACY (N. Y.), MARTIN (Iowa), MASON (Ill.), METCALF (Kans.), O'KONSKI (Wis.), PHILLIPS (Tenn.), PLOESER (Mo.), REED (Ill.), REEVES (Mo.), RICH (Pa.), RIZLEY (Okla.), ROBERTSON (N. Dak.), ROBISON (Ky.), SANBORN (Idaho), SARBACHER (Pa.), SCHWABE (Mo.), SCRIVNER (Okla.), SCRIVNER (Kans.), SHAFFER (Mich.), SHORT (Mo.), SIMPSON (Ill.), SMITH (Ohio), SMITH (Kans.), STEVENSON (Wis.), STOCKMAN (Oreg.), TWYMAN (Ill.), VAIL (Ill.), VURSELL (Ill.), WILSON (Ind.), WOODRUFF (Mich.), YOUNGBLOOD (Mich.)

American-Labor Against (1)

Marcantonio (N. Y.).

Republicans for: 161.
Democrats for: 152.
Total voting for: 313.
Republicans against: 70.
Democrats against: 11.
American-Labor against: 1.
Total voting against: 82.
Total voting: 395.
Paired for: J. PARNELL THOMAS (R., N. J.), COFFIN (R., Mich.), LICHTENWALTER (R., Pa.), HERTER (D., La.), BOGGS (D., La.), and DAVIS (D., Ga.).
Paired against: REED (R., N. Y.), JENISON (R., Ill.), BUSBEY (R., Ill.), CLIPPINGER (R., Ill.), OWENS (R., Ill.) and GLENN JOHNSON (D., Okla.).
Vacancies: 2.
Absent or not voting: 34.
Voting present (3): MACY (R.) and JOHNSON of Okla. (D).
Total membership: 435.

Jailed Murderer Confesses Slaying Of Weckler Child

Jefferson, Wisc., Dec. 15 (AP).—A killer serving life today confessed slaying 8-year-old Georgia Jean Weckler last May.

Buford Sennett, 22, sentenced last month for the murder of Carl Carlson, a University of Wisconsin student, confessed he and an accomplice he refused to name gave Georgia Jean a fatal dose of sleeping pills after kidnaping her from the lane of her rural home at Fort Atkinson.

The body was dumped into the Blue River in western Wisconsin from the same span Sennett and Robert Winslow, 24, dropped Carlson's body after an all-night orgy of rape and murder November 14.

The confession said the pair intended originally to kidnap the child, whose parents are well-to-do farmers, and hold her for ransom.

Protests Cause Flagstad To Cancel Concerts

Atlanta, Dec. 15 (AP).—Kirsten Flagstad, Norwegian Wagnerian soprano, has cancelled concerts this week in Atlanta and Savannah, Ga., after learning that her appearance has been protested by Georgians who charged her with Nazi collaboration.

Germans Hid 95% Of War Potential After 1919 Treaty

Nuernberg, Germany, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Krupp officials, backed by their government, falsified documents so that only 5 per cent of Germany's war potential was dismantled after World War I, British Gen. John Morgan testified today in the United States war crimes trial of Krupp armament works directors.

Morgan, British member of the Allied Control Commission after the first war, said German claims for peacetime production kept all except 6000 war machines off the dismantling list. Krupp then used its remaining machines to manufacture tanks, guns and other war materials, he said.

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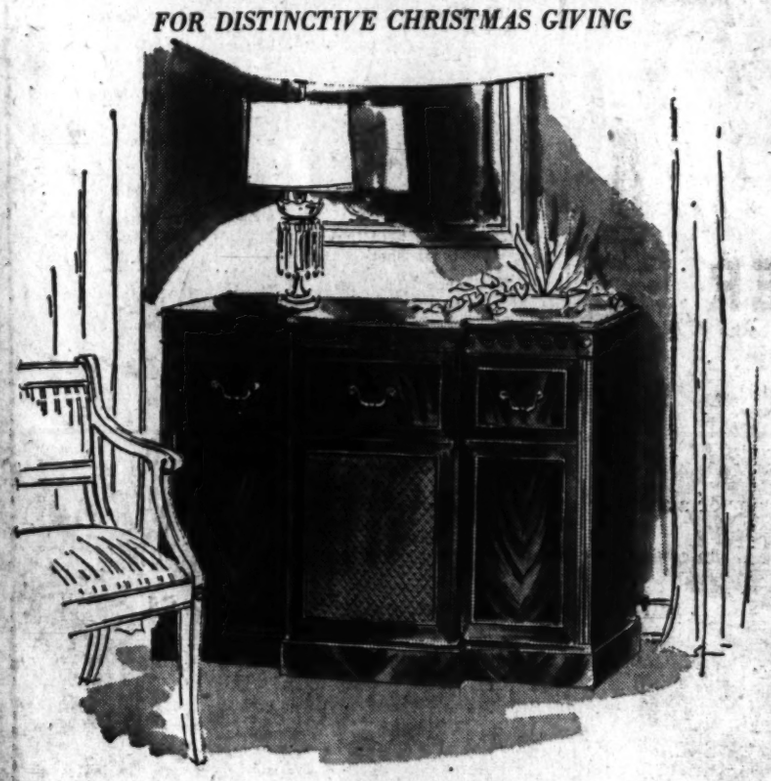

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London, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Police were investigating today whether the "sniper of the ballet" had attempted to assassinate dancer Vera Valentine or just didn't like the ballet.

Miss Valentine, a honey-blonde, was shot in the shoulder with an air rifle in the finale of her "ballet Parisienne" Saturday night. The sniper apparently fired from the balcony.

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Gallegos Wins Easy Victory In Venezuela

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Romulo Gallegos, 63-year-old writer and educator, today appeared a land-slide victor in yesterday's presidential election, the first genuinely popular vote for national and local officials in Venezuelan history.

Partial returns gave Gallegos, candidate of the Democratic Action (Socialist) Party, 192,717 votes against 78,875 for Rafael Caldera of the Conservative Catholic Copei Party. Gustavo Machado, Communist, lagged behind with 8182 votes.

Democratic Action candidates were reported in the lead for most local and state offices.

Gallegos announced that he would follow the foreign policy line established by the present "Junta" government.

ARMED—From Page 1

Truman Picks Five Generals

the greatest naval officers of all time" in bidding him farewell.

"He now joins the ranks of those great naval heroes—Jones, Barry and Farragut," said Sullivan.

Secretary of Defense James V. Forrestal, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Fleet Admiral William D. Leahy and Gen. A. A. Vandegrift, commandant of Marines were among those present at the ceremonies.

Nimitz expressed his "deep gratitude" to the men and women who have served under him. Corridors of the Navy Building and the sidewalks outside were lined with employes, as the 62-year-old admiral departed. The Navy Band and an honor guard bedped "pipe him over the side," in the traditional manner.

Under a recent law, President Truman must designate five Army posts carrying the temporary rank of four-star general and 22 others with the rank of lieutenant general by next June 30. Thereafter all generals holding wartime advanced rank—with a few specific exceptions—will revert to their permanent rank, unless holding one of these designated posts.

Four-star rank is expected to be held by the Army chief of staff, deputy chief of staff, commander of ground forces, commander in Germany and one other post. General MacArthur, commander in the Far East, holds his five-star rank.

The six Army commanders in the United States are expected to revert from four- to three-star rank.

ALEX—From Page 1

Budget Time In Alexandria

Department, and a new category of sewers and drains.

Eight departments received cuts, among them the city jail, down $1115 to $10 835.

The council proposes to finance its proposed budget increases by (1) increasing real estate tax rate from $2.50 to $2.75 per $100; (3) upping the personal property tax rate from $2.80 to $3 per $100; (3) readjusting the license tax rate, using the "more equitable" basis of gross receipts.

The departmental breakdown of proposed spending and receipts:

BUDGET EXPENDITURES

	1947	1948 Proposed
City council	$14,450	$14,700
City manager	14,200	16,775
City auditor	14,825	12,712
Revenue Commissioner	22,535	28,404
City treasurer	6,361	7,393
City collector	16,530	19,765
city attorney	7,110	6,950
Bond int., redemp.	290,375	285,605
Dog pound	8,400	13,250
Rescue squad	7,716	8,585
Engineering dept.	48,453	47,455
Building inspector	15,597	18,040
Plumbing inspector	9,300	8,740
Electrical inspector	4,474	5,519
Streets and sewers	98,100	164,800
Construction Division	47,626	284,573
Garage, repair shop	53,233	68,020
Street, traffic lights	35,000	40,664
Sanitation dept.	142,600	183,150
Street cleaning	56,200	62,583
Health department	90,690	92,840
Public schools	727,805	846,974
Public schools	721,805	846,974
Recreation dept.	49,150	64,207
Recreation cap. imps.		10,000
Motor vehicles	3,170	3,230
Police dept.	223,550	261,030
Fire dept.	137,283	164,190
Contributions, charities	2,000	2,000
Libraries	27,500	29,500
City jail	13,000	10,835
District home	4,450	5,620
Welfare dept.	136,080	168,260
Real estate assessor	10,820	11,112
Traffic control	16,120	19,563
License, tax inspector	9,430	9,300
Juvenile, Dom. Rel. Ct.	16,610	24,445
Weights, measures	2,700	2,700
Pub. bldgs., grounds	37,840	43,700
Corp., Circuit Court	14,614	17,430
Civil, Police Court	17,603	18,350
Registration, elections	8,150	9,850
Misc., contingent	38,029	69,845
City sergeant		11,000
Smoke control		4,815
Sewers, drains		31,480
Total	$2,483,393	$3,227,749

BDUGET REVENUE

	1947	Anticipated 1948
Real est. (Rate, $2.50)	$1,300,000	
(Rate, $2.75)		$1,581,456
Del. per. prop. taxes	35,000	35,000
Penalty, interest	7,000	6,000
Int. delinquent taxes	3,000	4,000
State capitation	6,580	
City capitation	18,000	25,000
Dog tax	2,200	2,200
Licenses	325,000	325,000
Rentals	1,000	1,000
Building permits	15,000	30,000
Street openings	4,000	25,000
Sewer service	30,000	50,000
Plumbing permits	6,000	9,000
Elec. inspection	7,000	14,500
Fines and costs	80,000	85,000
Scavenger fines	500	25
Swimming pool	7,500	7,000
ABC Board fund	130,000	135,000
State Hwy. Dept.	25,640	32,760
Gas tax refund	5,000	5,000
Fed. State welfare	78,000	65,000
Parking meters	25,000	50,000
Fed. housing projects	35,500	36,300
Sergeant, jail fees	700	3,950
Miscellaneous receipts	56,053	6,000
Public health	15,000	16,700
St. auto tag off. reimb.	2,800	3,000
Bank stock tax	10,000	10,300
Del. tax pwr. chgd. off		
Smoke inspector permits		2,000
Interest earned		2,000
Rent Community Hall		300
Dental clinic fees		50
Real estate transfers		1,200
Tax sales charges		400
Park and planning fees		1,000
Tax certificates		
Bicycle permits		1,000
Taxicab fees		10,000
St. refund Juv. Court		10,000
Total	$2,483,393	$3,227,749

Destroying British Secrets

Associated Press Wirephoto by Radio from Jerusalem

IN PALESTINE—Mrs. Phillis White (right) of Nottingham, England, a confidential registrar, burns secret documents in the yard of Palestine Information Office in Jerusalem preparatory to the British evacuation. Others are unidentified

PALESTINE—From P. 1

Hunger Threatens Palestine As Communications Are Cut

touched off by the partition vote. The toll for the entire Near East was 370.

Jews struck back at Arab road transport in retaliation for the machine-gunning yesterday of a seven-car Jewish convoy by soldiers of the Trans-Jordan Arab Legion. A Jew died today of wounds received in that attack, bringing the total to 15 Jews killed.

This evening Jews shot up a truckload of Jaffa laborers, killing one Arab and wounding another. Earlier, another Jewish force, dressed in army uniforms, attacked an Arab bus with bombs and guns near Ras el Ain, 9 miles northeast of Tel Aviv. One Arab was killed and seven others were wounded.

Four Arabs Are Killed

At Qalqilye, 13 miles northeast of Tel Aviv, the body of an Egyptian Arab was found. Another in nearby Tulkarm died from a bullet wound. An Arab woman and child, wounded two days ago, also died.

In upper Galilee, a Jew was killed and a Jewish settlement policeman was wounded.

Jewish leaders were bitter in their denunciation of the Trans-Jordan Arab Legion, King Abdullah has loaned the legion for police duties in the Holy Land. The force is officered by Britons.

Hagana, the Jewish defense force, termed the machine-gunning of the seven-car Jewish convoy an "unprovoked attack." A Palestine government spokesman, however, said jittery Jewish settlement police guarding the convoy "apparently lost their heads" when they saw the Arab troops near Tel Aviv and opened fire. The Arab soldiers returned the fire under the impression they were being attacked, the informant added. The Jews denied that their men fired first.

UJA Votes Added Funds For Palestine

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The National Conference of the United Jewish Appeal today voted additional finanical aid to Palestine and decided to send a special economic and defense delegation to survey the needs of the newly created Jewish state.

Delegates asked American Jews to raise an emergency fund of 25 million dollars for Paletsine by the end of this year. Telegrams were sent out to 5000 American Jewish communities, inaugurating the campaign which will be in addition to the record 250 milliondollar goal set by the appeal for 1948.

More than 50 American Jewish leaders will be sent to Paletsine in February to survey economic needs to provide new agricultural and industrialopportunities for 75,000 immigrants expected next year.

Thety also will examine the security position of the new Jewish community and will study its defense and military needs.

Following the survey the group will tour the United States, speaking in support of the UJA drive.

In another effort to obtain funds, a group of Paletsine officials left for Washington today to seek United States Government loans and grants of arms and funds for defense of the new state. The Jewish leaders hope to fill a $177,750,000 gap in the United Palestine Appeal budget not filled by United Jewish Appeal allocations.

The UJA yesterday allotted the agency $246,250,000 of its 250-million-dollar goal.

P-TA to Inspect Work

Members of the Parent-Teachers Association of Bladensburg Elementary School will inspect the work of their children at their meeting at the school at 8 o'clock tonight (Tuesday, December 16).

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2 British Oil Firms Seized By Romania

Bucharest, Romania, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The government today took over management of the two biggest British oil companies here, Astra-Romana and Unires, after charging their owners with "bad will, deficient production and theft of oil from government subsoil."

Astra-Romana was formed in 1910 by Royal Dutch Shell and is controlled by both British and Dutch interests.

A government decree did not make clear whether the move was outright confiscation or whether there would be compensation.

(The British oil industry has asserted repeatedly that Russia completely dominates the Romanian oil industry.)

The seizing was preceded by a month-long press campaign in which both American and British oil concerns were accused of sabotaging Romanian production.

Spellman and O'Boyle Inspect Food Gifts

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—Francis Cardinal Spellman, accompanied by Archbishop Elect Patrick A. O'Boyle of Washington, D. C., today inspected more than 2,500,000 pounds of canned food collected in the Nation-wide Thanksgiving food collection campaign of the National Catholic Welfare Conference for European Relief.

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C-63—Theme Songs.
C-94—Christmas Carols. Lynn Murray Singers
C-102—Benny Goodman Sextet. Benny Goodman
C-101—Blues By Basie. Count Basie
C-112—The Voice of Frank Sinatra. Frank Sinatra
C-115—Beatrice Kay Sings. Beatrice Kay
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C-132—Tango With Cugat. Xavier Cugat
C-31—Torch Songs. Dinah Shore

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MX212—Sorcerer's Apprentice. Minneapolis Symphony—Mitropoulos
MX-246—An American In Paris. N. Y. Philharmonic—Rodzinski
MX-257—Ravel's Bolero. Robin Hood Dell Orch., Kostelanetz
MX-272—Song of Scheherazade. Charles Kullman
MX-273—Moonlight Sonata (Beethoven). Oscar Levant
MM-313—Concerto No. 1 in B Flat Minor (Tchaikovsky) Egon Petri and London Philharmonic
MM-318—Concerto in A Minor, Opus 16 (Grieg). Walter Gieseking
MM-440—Patter Songs From Gilbert and Sullivan. Nelson Eddy
MM-555—Crosby Classics. Bing Crosby
MM-635—Music of Sigmund Romberg. Andre Kostelanetz
MM-668—Music of Morton Gould. Morton Gould

COLUMBIA POPULAR RECORDS
35410—Beyond the Moon; Night and Day. Benny Goodman
35799—Peanut Vendor; Mama Inez. Xavier Cugat
36160—Trumpet Rhapsody (2 Parts). Harry James
37928—I Never Loved Anyone; Don't Call It Love. Claude Thornhill
38040—Ballerina; It Had to Be You. Buddy Clark
37991—Mountain Maw; Signed, Sealed and Delivered. Bob Atcher
37984—Best Things In Life Are Free; Candlelight Cafe. Dinah Shore
37972—Corabelle; Who Are You Kissing? Frankie Carle
37968—I May Be Wrong; Please Don't Play No. 6 Tonight. Gene Krupa
37966—It All Came True; Dum Dot Song. Frank Sinatra
37955—White Christmas; All the World Is Mine. Harry James
37931—Say Something Nice About Me; Papa, Won't You Dance With Me. Doris Day
37933—After You; Dardenella. Les Brown
37884—That's All I Wanna Know; Lazy Country Side. Dinah Shore
37875—I'll Never Make the Same Mistake Again; Fun and Fancy Free. Gene Krupa
37850—Stanley Steamer; I'm Out to Forget. Dinah Shore
37851—My Future Just Passed; Too Marvelous For Words. Harry James
37856—Miami Beach Rumba; Come to the Mardi Gras. Xavier Cugat

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CONTROLS—From Pg. 1

GOP 'Voluntary' Price Control Bill Blocked

at the retail level, with the same congressional power of veto.

The legislation proposed the creation in the Labor Department of a Temporary Wage Stabilization Board. It would prescribe maximum wages in any industry where price controls were applied, provided that wage increases would raise the cost of production and would force a boost in the prescribed price ceiling.

The provisions of the Wolcott bill, which the House was called on to consider yesterday, were far short of any such powers. The bill would have extended export and transportation controls (expiring next February 29), provided a higher ratio of gold reserves in the Federal Reserve banks, and freed businessmen from antitrust law prosecutions if they cooperated with the Government in voluntary agreements for the distribution of materials.

Representative Wolcott (R., Mich.), author of the bill and chairman of the House Banking Committee, and Majority Leader Halleck (Ind.) carried the burden of the defense. They declared that the bill granted Mr. Truman some of the things he wanted, and did not close the door to consideration of further powers at the regular session.

This or None at All

"If you vote against the bill," Halleck said, "you vote against what he asked for." The responsibility, if the bill was defeated, would rest with the Democrats, he insisted, because it was either this bill, with some of the 10 points, or none at all.

The suspension of the rules, Halleck continued, was in no sense "sharp practice." That procedure was common in the closing days of a congressional session, he declared. Without it, the bill could not get out of the House short of a week or two of debate and the Senate could not get to it or debate it before adjournment, Halleck asserted.

But the Republicans were set upon in a roaring attack from Democrats Spence (Ky.), Monroney (Okla.), and Minority Leader Rayburn (Tex.). All argued that the GOP had put up a phony bill which they hoped the Democrats would defeat and thereby inherit the blame for no legislation.

The House "will be precluded from calling itself a deliberative body" if it accepts the gag rule, Spence declared.

Sees No Sincerity

"I can't believe there is any sincerity in this bill," he said. "It gives the President no additional powers; it commands nothing, it prohibits nothing. It gives him something he didn't ask for. He asked for power to curb inflation, but you gave him power to . . . have the antitrust laws repealed."

Monroney said the Republicans brought up the bill purposely to have it killed. It was, he went on, "a well-staged drama" designed to show the murder of the bill by the Democrats. The Republicans, he declared, knew that the bill "looks better dead than alive."

Rayburn said the Republicans underestimated the public intelligence if they thought that the people would blame the Democrats for no inflation-control laws. Referring to the antitrust law waiver in the Wolcott bill, Rayburn cracked:

"Listen to the National Association of Manufacturers! They had 12 points but this is the one they're interested in most.

"We are not going to have any part of it."

Favor Shown 6 Points

In other action in the Capitol yesterday on the subject of inflation:

1. The Joint Economic Committee gave partial and by no means ardent indorsement to 6 of Mr. Truman's 10 points. Chairman Taft (R., Ohio) said the committee would meet tomorrow to draft a report on them.

They include the control of installment buying; "some restraint" on commodity speculation; extension of export and transportation controls; stimulation of foreign food production, and "voluntary" measures to minimize feeding of grain to livestock.

Left out are presidential recommendations on allocations and priorities, extension of rent controls, and restoration of rationing and price controls.

2. Senator Capehart (R., Ind.) introduced a bill to freeze all prices, including commodity exchange trading, at last Saturday's levels. He described the bill as a "price moratorium."

House Anti-Inflation Vote

by The Associated Press

Following is the rollcall vote by which the House yesterday refused to pass the Republican Anti-Inflation Bill under procedure requiring a two-third vote for passage:

FOR PASSAGE, 222

Republicans Yea (222)

ALLEN (Calif.) JOHNSON (Ind.)
ALLEN (Ill.) JONES (Wash.)
ANDERSON (Calif.) JONKMAN (Mich.)
ANDRESEN (Minn.) JUDD (Minn.)
ANDREWS (N. Y.) KEAN (N. Dak.)
ANGELL (Oreg.) KEARNEY (N. Y.)
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ARNOLD (Mo.) KEATING (N. Y.)
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BARTA (Nebr.) KURKEL (Pa.)
BARRETT (Wyo.) LANDIS (Ind.)
BATES (Mass.) LATHAM (N. Y.)
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BENDER (Ohio) LEFFLER (N. Y.)
BENNETT (Mich.) LEWIS (Ohio)
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BROWN (Ohio) McMAHON (N. Y.)
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BURKE (Ohio) MANSFIELD (Minn.)
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ELSTON (Ohio) ROBERTSON (W. Va.)
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GILLIE (Ind.) SIMPSON (Pa.)
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JENKINS (Ohio) WOLVERTON (N. J.)
JENNINGS (Tenn.) WOODRUFF (Mich.)
JENSEN (Iowa) YOUNGBLOOD (Mich.)
JOHNSON (Ill.)
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Democrats Yea—None

AGAINST PASSAGE, 188

Republicans Against (28)

ANDERSEN (Minn.) MASON (Ill.)
BRUMM (Wis.) MILLER (Conn.)
BUFFETT (Nebr.) MORTON (Ky.)
COLE (Kans.) MURRAY (Wis.)
CRAWFORD (Mich.) O'HARA (Minn.)
FULTON (Pa.) O'KONSKI (Wis.)
HOFFMANN (Mich.) REES (Kans.)
HOPE (Kans.) SCHWABE (Okla.)
HULL (Wis.) SCHWABE (Okla.)
JAVITS (N. Y.) SIMPSON (Ill.)
KEEFE (Wis.) SMITH (Ohio)
LEMKE (N. Dak.) SMITH (Kans.)
McMILLEN (Ill.) STRATTON (Ill.)

Democrats Against (161)

ABERNETHY (Miss.) GOSSETT (Tex.)
ALBERT (Okla.) GRANGER (Utah)
ALMOND (Va.) GRANT (Ala.)
ANDREWS (Ala.) GREGORY (Ky.)
BARDEN (N. C.) HARDY (Va.)
BATTLE (Ala.) HARLESS (Ariz.)
BECKWORTH (Tex.) HARRISON (Va.)
BELL (Mo.) HAVENNER (Calif.)
BLATNIK (Minn.) HAYS (Ark.)
BLOOM (N. Y.) HEDRICK (W. Va.)
BONNER (N. C.) HEFFERNAN (N. Y.)
BOYKIN (Ala.) HENDRICKS (Fla.)
BROWN (Ga.) HOBBS (Ala.)
BRYSON (S. C.) HOLIFIELD (Calif.)
BUSBWINKLE (N. C.) HUBER (Ohio)
BURLESON (Tex.) JACKSON (Wash.)
BYRNE (N. Y.) JARMAN (Ala.)
CAMP (Ga.) JOHNSON (Okla.)
CANNON (Mo.) JOHNSON (Tex.)
Cannl (Colo.) JONES (Ala.)
CHAPMAN (Ky.) JONES (N. C.)
CHELF (Ky.) KARSTEN (Mo.)
CLARK (N. C.) KEE (W. Va.)
COMBS (Tex.) KEFAUVER (Tenn.)
COOLEY (N. C.) KENNEDY (Mass.)
COOPER (Tenn.) KEOGH (N. Y.)
COX (Ga.) KERR (N. C.)
CRAVENS (Ark.) KILDAY (Tex.)
CROSSER (Ohio) KING (Calif.)
DEANE (N. C.) KIRWAN (Ohio)
DELANEY (N. Y.) LANE (Mass.)
DINGELL (Mich.) LANHAM (Ga.)
DOMENGEAUX (La.) LARCADE (La.)
DONOHUE (Mass.) LEA (Calif.)
DORN (S. C.) LESINSKI (Mich.)
DOUGHTON (N. C.) LUCAS (Tex.)
DOUGLAS (Calif.) LUDLOW (Ind.)
DURHAM (N. C.) LUSK (N. Mex.)
EBERHARTER (Pa.) LYLE (Tex.)
ELLIOTT (Calif.) LYNCH (N. Y.)
ENGLE (Calif.) McCORMACK (Mass.)
EVINS (Tenn.) McMILLAN (S. C.)
FALLON (Md.) MADDEN (Ind.)
FEIGHAN (Ohio) MAHON (Tex.)
FERNANDEZ (N. Mex.) MANASCO (Ala.)
FISHER (Tex.) MANSFIELD (Tex.)
FLANNAGAN (Va.) MEADE (Md.)
FOGARTY (R. I.) MILLER (Calif.)
FOLGER (N. C.) MILLS (Ark.)
FORAND (R. I.) MONRONEY (Okla.)
GARMATZ (Md.) MORGAN (Pa.)
GARY (Va.) MORRIS (Okla.)
GATHINGS (Ark.) MULTER (N. Y.)
GORDON (Ill.) MURDOCK (Ariz.)
GOSS (Tenn.) MURRAY (Tenn.)
GORSKI (Ill.) NORRELL (Ark.)

American-Labor Against (1)

Marcantonio (N. Y.)

Vacancies: 2.
Paired for the bill: 10
Rees (Kans.), Kean (N. J.), Coffin (Mich.), Thomas (N. J.), Holmes (Ill.), Lichtenwalter (Penn.), Souder (Ill.), Hartley (N. J.), Nodar (N. Y.) and Scottish (Pa.), all Republicans.
Paired against the bill: 9
Rogers (La.), Kunz (N. Y.), Boggs (La.), Davis (Ga.) and Trimble (Ark.), all Democrats.
Absent or not voting: 23.
Necessary for passage: 266.
Total membership: 435.

Man, 88, Becomes Father for Third Time Since 1945

Des Moines, Dec. 15 (AP).—Luis Carrizales, 88, became a father yesterday for the third time since 1945.

Carrizales and his 23-year-old wife Mary were the parents of a daughter in 1945 and a son in 1946. The children have the black hair and olive skin of their father who is half Cherokee Indian and half Spanish.

The latest child, a girl, weighs 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

Carrizales keeps fit by chinning himself 40 times a day. He has seven other children by two previous marriages.

School Band's 1st Concert

First public appearance of the Takoma Park Junior High School band is scheduled for 9:10 a. m., Friday, at the school. The public is invited to the concert, which will be under the direction of Chester Petranek.

Canoe Sailor Trying Brazil-to-Miami Trip

Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 15 (AP).—John Edward Schultz, 19, an American, today reportedly has sailed into the Atlantic from northern Brazil in a canoe with a small sail, bound for Miami.

The news agency said Schultz started his voyage in Colombia and sailed down the Amazon River to Macapa. A large crowd saw him off.

House Bill Allows GIs to Reinstate Lapsed Policies

The House yesterday passed unanimously and sent to the Senate a bill to permit veterans to reinstate their lapsed GI term insurance without physical examinations until December 31, 1948.

It acted speedily after Chairman Edith Nourse Rogers (R., Mass.) of the House Veterans Committee noted that the privilege now is scheduled to expire January 1. The committee had approved the bill earlier in the day.

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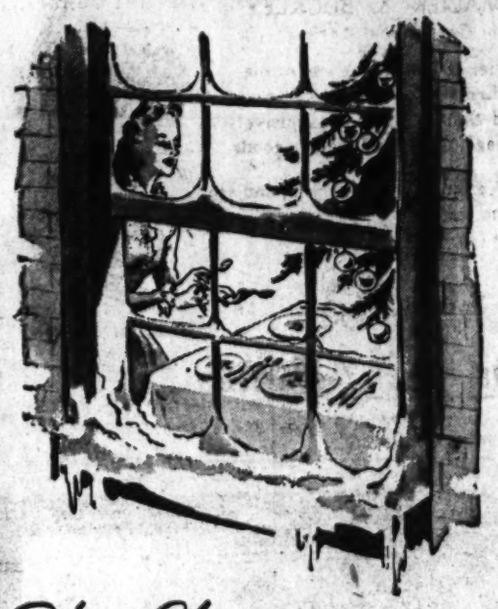
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Gen. Bradley to Visit Army Posts in Virginia

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—Gen. Omar N. Bradley, who will become Chief of Staff of the Army in February, will visit the Armed Forces Staff College here and headquarters of the Army Ground Forces at Fort Monroe this week. He will arrive at Fort Monroe tomorrow night and visit the college Wednesday morning.

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Army, Air Force Enlistments Hit New Low During November

Army and Air Force strength hit a new postwar low yesterday as officials reported that only 18,029 recruits were enrolled during November.

Current strength was estimated at 908,000 officers and men in the two services—84 per cent of the 1,070,000-man force deemed necessary and authorized by Congress.

The November recruiting total was 3500 men under October and the lowest figure since last May. Officials said the decline in volunteers continued through the first half of this month, but that totals have not been compiled.

Question Going to Congress

While no ranking official was willing to be quoted in the matter, it is known that the Army will put the question of maintaining manpower squarely up to Congress in January.

In effect, Army chiefs will say: If American commitments for occupation forces are to be met and the strength of units kept at the bare minimum, one of two alternatives must be taken. They are:

1. Approve universal military training, which will increase Regular Army and Air Forces strength as a by-product, or
2. Restore selective service.

Evenly Divided

November recruiting totals included 8953 men enlisted in the Army and 8486 in the Air Force, with 590 still unassigned.

Despite the Air Force separation, recruiting and some other personnel administration still is handled for both services by the Army. Maj. Gen. Willard S. Paul, Army personnel chief, said yesterday that the November results are disappointing, even though a further dip was expected.

A total of 30,000 enlistments—18,000 in the Army and 12,000 in the Air Force—are required to maintain the two services' authorized strength. Air Force recruiting has been running at close to the required total until last month, with Army totals only about half that needed.

Total Army and Air Force strength has been declining steadily. Last January 1, the total was 1,319,000 officers and men. This was down to 990,000 on July 1. The latest official figures are as of November 1, when there were 79,000 officers and 511,000 enlisted men in the Army and 46,000 officers and 284,000 men in the Air Force.

In the past six weeks, General Paul estimated, the overall total has dropped to about 908,000 officers and men.

Old Glory Is Lowered in Italy

Wirephoto by Radio from Rome

PREPARING TO LEAVE—The American Flag is shown being lowered on an Italian dock at Leghorn, Italy, Sunday, as the transport Admiral Sims (right), bearing the last American occupation troops leave Italian soil, prepares to sail

Chinese Reds Repulsed in Sharp Fight

Shanghai, China, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Government officials claimed today national troops had repulsed a strong Communist attack on Jukao, 10 miles northwest of Shanghai, and had killed or wounded 15,000 Communists in a day-long battle.

The reports said the "crushing defeat" would make it "unlikely the Communists will counterattack for the next three months."

Other government reports admitted, however, that Communist forces were still driving unchecked along the east-west Lunghai railway toward Kaifeng, in Honan Province of central China, and that the situation there was serious.

Aide to U. N. Group On Balkans Injured

Athens, Greece, Dec. 15 (AP).—Lieut. Col. Allen C. Miller, military adviser to the American delegation on the United Nations Special Committee on the Balkans, was slightly injured yesterday when his jeep struck a bridge in northwestern Greece.

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Navy Physician Finds New Way To Cure Colds

Great Lakes, Ill., Dec. 15 (AP).—A Navy physician said today he had discovered a treatment that "produces marvelous results" in relieving head colds if taken within a few hours of the onset of the cold.

"Within a half hour after treatment, all symptoms disappear," Capt. John M. Brewster stated. The treatment is based on the theory that a cold is originally an allergic reaction but that if it is neglected, bacterial complications frequently develop.

His treatment consists of the anti-histaminic drugs—benadryl, phenylene or pyribenzamine—taken by mouth. He emphasized the treatment was useful only in head colds, and then only if taken immediately after the patient detected the first symptoms.

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12 Injured As Blast Rips Newark Plant

Newark, N. J., Dec. 15 (AP).—Explosion shattered a building of the Celanese Corp. of America in the heart of Newark's heavily industrialized Ironbound section today, injuring at least a dozen persons.

At least eight appeared to be in "serious condition." Police said they knew of no fatalities.

The blast demolished a brick wall on Magazine st. peppering the area with a barrage of bricks and debris. A pall of dust hung over the area as firemen played streams of water on the building to prevent fire.

Plant officials said the damaged building manufactured transparent films. The blast exposed a twisted and torn hopper, and a maze of pipes and cable.

Cause of the explosion was not immediately determined.

Argentines Reach U. S. on Bike Trip To Washington

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 15 (AP).—Pedro and Carlos Rocasalvo, Argentinean youths, were here today preparing for the next lap on a bicycle trip which will eventually take them to Alaska, they said.

From San Antonio the Latin youths will head for Washington, D. C., where Pedro, who reports he writes for 25 Latin-American publications, plans to present a scroll to President Truman.

They left Buenos Aires on June 5, 1946, and hope to reach Alaska within another six months. When they entered the United States at Laredo Wednesday they had pedaled 20,000 kilometers.

4 Known Dead In Collision Of 2 Tankers

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—Four persons were known to have perished and 19 were missing after a predawn collision today between two tankers, one laden with high octane aviation gasoline, off Curacao, Dutch West Indies.

Tugs and fire-fighting technicians battled into the growing darkness tonight to subdue flames aboard the 3180-ton Argentine tanker, Los Pozos, its cargo of ballast afire.

Twelve men were reported missing from the Los Pozos, which, dispatches said, normally carried a crew of 45. It had not been determined whether any crew members still were aboard the vessel.

The Los Pozos collided with the gas-loaded Venezuelan tanker Tucupita, from which 29 of 39 men were rescued, including four injured.

Meanwhile, the Merritt-Chapman & Scott Ocean-going tug Kilirig, which ran aground a mile off Morant Point, Jamaica, B. W. I., was settling down in heavy seas, all members of its crew of 42 safely ashore.

Only American citizens aboard were Capt. S. V. Hughes, salvage officer, whose wife is at Bohannon, Va., and Chief Engineer W. J. Bradshaw of Tilghmans Island, Md.

$75,000 in U. S. Bills Uncovered in Cebu

Manila, Dec. 15 (AP).—Seventy-five thousand dollars in tattered United States currency has been found under a lumber pile in the inactivated American naval air base near Cebu. Officials believed the money part of naval base funds stolen in 1945.

De Gasperi Adds Five To Cabinet

Rome, Dec. 15 (AP).—Premier Alcide de Gasperi added five new ministers to his hard-pressed Christian Democratic cabinet tonight, bringing the support of the Labor, Socialist and Republican Parties to the fight against the Communist - dominated extreme left.

President Enrico de Nicola swore in these new ministers:

Giuseppe Saragat, former Ambassador to France and leader of the moderate left Labor Socialist Party, Vice Premier.

Randolfo Pacciardi, leader of the leftist Republicans, Vice Premier.

Cipriano Facchinetti, Republican, Minister of Defense.

Ludovico d'Aragona, Labor Socialist, frequently arrested for leftist activity and forced to flee Italy as early as 1895, Minister of Posts and Telecommunications.

Roberto Tremelloni, Labor Socialist, a Milan merchant and employment expert, Minister of Industry and Commerce.

Scandal Due To Break Upon Jap Officials

Tokyo, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—A scanday involving present and former high Japanese government officials is expected to break here within the next 10 days. The group is said to be implicated in the illegal hoarding or black market sale of two billion dollars worth of "war materials."

The goods consist of clothing, preserved foods, tools and vehicles, it is understood.

The public procurator (prosecutor), after exhaustive investigation went to General MacArthur's government section with a list of names and asked if it would be permissible to indict members of the Diet (Parliament). He was told to prosecute anyone guilty of any offense, regardless of his or her station. The list was sent to Komakachi Matsuoka, Speaker of the House of Representatives, so that the speaker would not appoint any of the suspects to a special investigating committee.

It now appears that hundreds of government officials are involved and that a gigantic "cover-up" is being attempted.

Worker Fined $25 In Fairlington Strike Scuffle

An employe of the Fairlington housing project in nearby Virginia was convicted of assaulting a striker and fined $25 yesterday in Alexandria Civil and Police Court.

He was James Gray, 22, of 107 Muirs ct., Alexandria, who admitted wielding a pick-ax handle during a picket line altercation with James Smith, Purcellville, Va., last Thursday. He pleaded not guilty and claimed self-defense.

Gray told Judge James R. Duncan he was hired by the Fairmac Corp., owners of the development, after the walkout of some 170 AFL employes was called December 8.

Stalin Back in Moscow

Moscow, Dec. 15 (AP).—Prime Minister Stalin is reported to have returned to Moscow after a vacation on the Black Sea.

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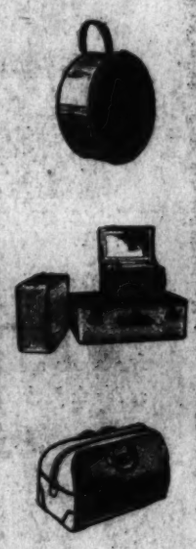

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Georgia Negro Admits Burning School, 2 Churches

Monroe, Ga., Dec. 15 (U.P.).—A 27-year-old Negro confessed today that he burned two Negro churches and a Negro school at nearby Loganville in revenge against a burial insurance society, Solicitor Marshall Pollock announced here.

Pollock said Isaiah Grimes admitted he was incensed because a burial society refused to pay $180 in benefits to his mother, Maggie Catlin, for the death of her second husband, Fluker. The actual beneficiary was Fluker's young daughter.

"I hope this will show those people in England and everywhere else who have been writing me," said Mayor C. H. Byrd of Loganville, "that this was not the work of white people."

German Chops for Firewood

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

"SECOND CUTTING"—Kneeling in a light snowfall, this man chops for wood at the stump of a tree long since cut down for fuel in Munich, Germany. Many of the city's roadside trees have been cut down to help ease the fuel shortage

Livestock Feed Shortage Seen

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP).—An "acute shortage" of livestock feed before next spring and the development of "bad spots in the livestock marketing system" were described today at preconvention sessions of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The speakers were R. K. Bliss, Des Moines, of the Iowa extension service, and Ray B. Wiser, Los Angeles, president of the California Farm Bureau Federation.

Bliss, asserting the 1947 corn crop was 900 million bushels less than the 1946 crop, said "we are short on livestock feed grains."

Believes Roughages Overestimated

"We fortunately have somewhat more than an average amount of protein concentrates," he said. "Hay and other roughages are reported adequate.

"My opinion is that roughages have been overestimated and that we still see acute shortages in many places before grass grows next spring."

Wiser listed what he termed "bad spots in the marketing system" as the result "of the past seven years of abnormal economic conditions." His "spots" were:

An "ever-increasing number" of traders and speculators; the "failure to receive" maximum return on products to the grower; development of poor producer-consumer relations; use by packers, buyers and speculators of "convenience, which is a costly service to the producer," a reference to geographical location and extra services to obtain business from the producer.

"There is still a great lack of the broad type of information in the field of livestock marketing which can only be supplied by a continuing program of research," he said.

Wiser added that livestock experts have predicted that next year "we will eat 10 pounds less of meat on the average than in 1947."

Va. Laborer Is Indicted

A 28-year-old Arlington laborer, Napoleon B. Valentine, 2133 S. Oakland st., was indicted on a charge of murder yesterday in the slaying of Mrs. Lenora Caldwell in a S. Glebe rd. trailer camp on November 23.

Valentine was indicted despite a deathbed statement by the woman that he did not fire the fatal shot. His trial was set for January 28.

Valentine was arrested the night of the shooting and charged with felonious assault. The charge was changed to murder when the woman died two days later. He was identified by witnesses as a guest at Mrs. Caldwell's trailer a short time before the was slain.

The Arlington grand jury also indicted Robert C. Boyle, 24, of Callao, Va., on a charge of having carnal knowledge of a 16-year-old girl who is now pregnant; Phillip Redondo, 18, of Fort Belvoir, on four counts of breaking and entering, and Paul O. Styers, 29, no fixed address, on housebreaking. All of the defendants pleaded not guilty and trials were set for January 28, 29 and 30.

Donaldson Confirmed As Postmaster General

The Senate confirmed yesterday the nomination of Jesse M. Donaldson of Illinois as Postmaster General.

Also confirmed by voice vote were the appointments of Paul Aiken of Kansas to be Second Assistant Postmaster General and of Carl Raymond Gray, jr., of Minnesota to be veterans' administrator.

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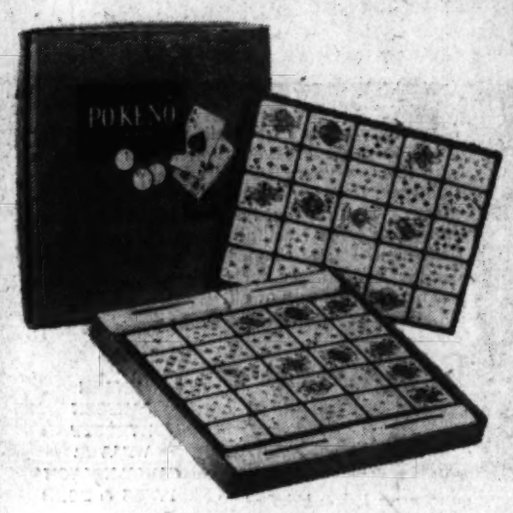

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Shoe Machine Firm Charged With Monopoly

Attorney General Clark yesterday charged the United Shoe Machinery Corp. of Boston with establishing a monopoly in production of machinery for making shoes.

Clark announced a civil anti-trust suit was filed in the United States District Court at Boston, under the Sherman Antitrust Act.

A Justice Department statement said the suit seeks to compel the corporation to sell all its plants used in manufacture of shoe factory supplies and some of its plants manufacturing shoe machinery and tanning machinery and to offer to sell its machinery to shoe manufacturers instead of only leasing, as it does now, and to make available to its competitors all patents and know-how relating to shoe machinery.

The announcement said the company manufactures over 90 per cent of most of the important types of shoe machinery "and is the only company in this country which can completely equip a shoe factory with all necessary machinery."

The Attorney General said the corporation's alleged monopoly "has destroyed the independence of the shoe industry of the United States."

Assistant Attorney General John R. Sonnett, whose antitrust division was instructed by Clark several months ago to concentrate on any evidences of monopolistic practices in the food, clothing and housing fields, said in a statement that United Shoe Machinery Corp. "has acquired 4172 patents since 1930."

"It uses only 363 of these in machines introduced since 1930," Sonnett asserted. "Most of its patents have been laid away on the shelf.

Charges Costs Upheld

"United has compelled manufacturers to use obsolete shoe machinery, thus retarding the introduction of mass production techniques in the manufacture of shoes and preventive reductions in shoe manufacturing costs by the use of modern machinery."

Clark also announced that a consent decree has been entered in a suit against the National Acme Co., of Cleveland "terminating international cartel agreements involving the manufacture and sale of high speed automatic machine tools."

The department said the Government complaint was based on an allegation of "a conspiracy to divide and control world markets with BSA Tools, Limited, of Birmingham, England, and Fittler Werkzeugmaschinenfabrik A. G. of Leipzig, Germany, the largest foreign manufacturers" of multiple-spindle automatic machine tools.

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Lobbying Data Rejected by SCC In Branch Case

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—The State Corporation Commission refused today to hear any evidence of lobbying activities by the Virginia Bankers Association as part of a hearing on an application of the Bank of Virginia to open a new branch bank in Norfolk.

After heated argument for nearly an hour, the commission granted a motion by counsel for the association to quash six subpenas which had been issued against the association's officers.

The SCC held that any evidence contained in certain records of the association would not be relevant to the Bank of Virginia's application.

The Bank of Virginia's petition for authority to open and operate a branch bank in Norfolk has received backing from the SCC bureau of banking. Seven banks in the Norfolk area, however, have intervened to protest its establishment.

Skyline Caverns Have New Features for '48

Front Royal, Va., Dec. 15 (Spl.)—Visitors to Virginia's Skyline Caverns here will see several additional rooms of calcite cave flowers next year. The rooms were discovered recently in scientific exploration of the caves.

The new rooms will be lighted and developed immediately after the first of the year, according to M. B. Long, owner of the caverns.

Where Student Pilot Perished

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SPIN DID IT.—Frederick W. Koch, 27, aviation student, was killed when this Army surplus PT-1 went into a spin and crashed near St. Charles, Mo. Nose of the plane was buried 4 feet in the ground and it took nearly two hours to extricate the body

Captain, Pay Checks Still Are Missing

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—Capt. Edward P. Kelly, who vanished from Camp Lee with pay checks of 37 fellow officers, was still among the missing today.

The 40-year-old resident of Whippany, N. J., wrote his wife, Mrs. Mary Kelly from Tampa, Fla., stating he would surrender to the Army "about" last Friday. However, he had not turned up at Camp Lee today and the FBI, which has charged Kelly with embezzlement, reported there had been no word from him.

To Address Group

Andre Philip, Socialist member of the French Chamber of Deputies, will speak on "The Political and Economic Situation in France Today" at 8:45 p. m. tomorrow at Pierce Hall, 15th and Harvard sts. nw.

Philip, speaking at the public meeting sponsored by the Washington chapter, American for Democratic Action, is on route to France for Christmas after attending the International Trade Organization conference in Havana.

Green Begs Mine Workers To Reconsider

AFL President William Green yesterday appealed to John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers to "reconsider" their break with the American Federation of Labor.

"The membership of the AFL sincerely regrets the withdrawal of affiliation on the part of the United Mine Workers of America," Green said in a statement.

"The friends of organized labor will be disappointed but the enemies of both the United Mine Workers of America and the American Federation of Labor have been made happy.

"We are passing through a historic period when the need for unity within the ranks of labor is pressing and urgent. Our enemies are united against us. Can we successfully cope with our united enemies by creating division within our own ranks?"

Lewis abruptly withdrew his 600,000 UMW members from the AFL Friday night after a week-long meeting of his international executive board. The action climaxed his bitter fight with other AFL leaders over signing the non-Communist oaths required by the Taft-Hartley Act to make unions eligible to use the National Labor Relations Board. Lewis alone refused to sign.

Actually, Lewis had stopped paying the $18,000 a month dues to the AFL after the October convention in San Francisco, at which he fought in vain to force the federation to defy the Taft-Hartley Act in its entirety.

Green's statement said:

"It is unthinkable that any part of a minority should withdraw from affiliation with a deliberate body because it decided against them, if we are to preserve the principle of democracy and be governed in formation of policies by the democratic process."

Va. Reorganization Study Nears End

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—The executive committee of the Thomas G. Burch Commission studynig reorganization of the State government today completed the basic part of its work. It called a meeting of the full 46-member commission at 10 a. m. December 29 to consider its report.

A study of ways and means of "streamlining" State governmental agencies began early last summer after the 1946 General Assembly approved Governor Tuck's request for a thorough inquiry into reorganization possibilities.

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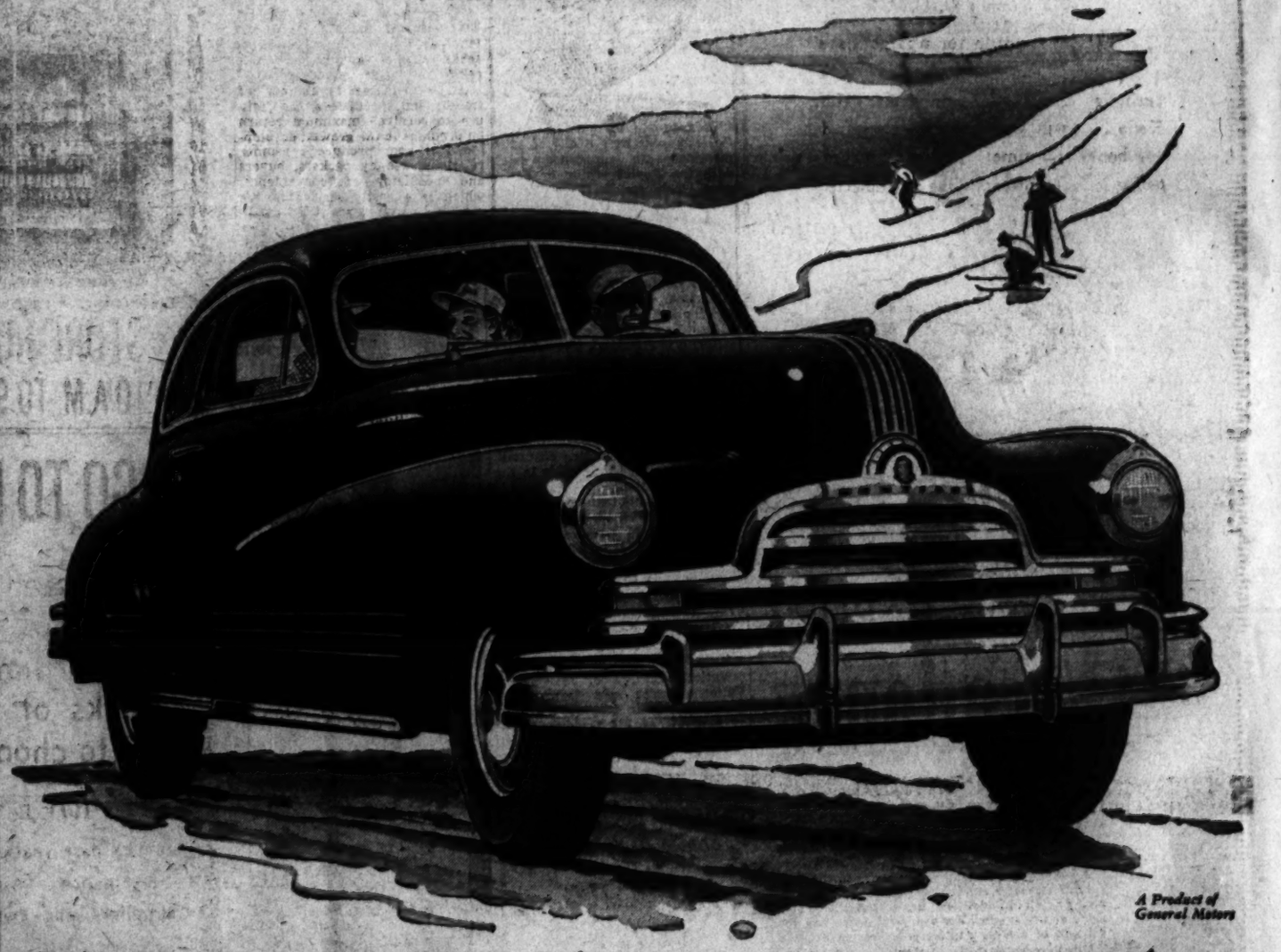

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An Accidental Santa Claus

Detroit, Dec. 15 (AP).—A wrong number started Charles N. Williams on his present career as Detroit's accidental Santa Claus.

Deluged with calls from hundreds of trusting children, he asked the telephone company to let the Yuletide flood continue.

"I'm having a lot of fun," he explained.

It all started when Life magazine published an article about a merchant who takes calls for Santa at Murray Hill 8-2205. A child in Detroit heard of the number, dialed it excitedly, and got Williams, whose number is MU 8220.

Williams thought it was a joke and replied, in his deep bass voice, "Yes, this is Santa Claus."

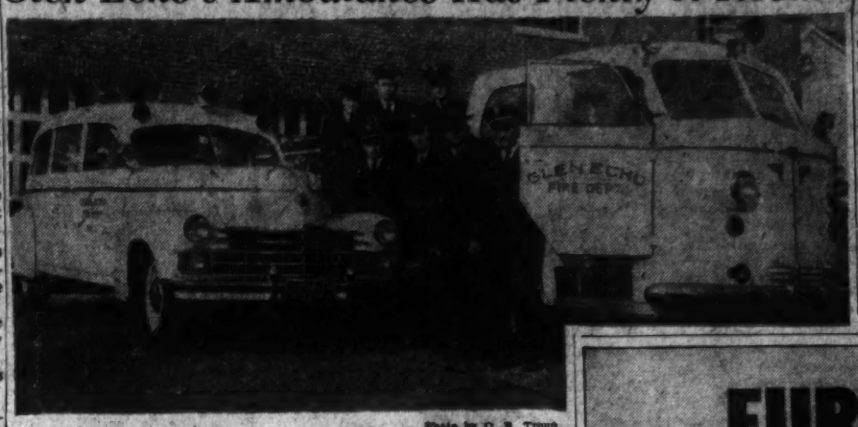
That started it. The calls began multiplying, and when someone told "Santa" of the article he got into the Christmas spirit.

He lined up friends to act in his place when he's at work. Sometimes Mrs. Williams answers the phone and says:

"No, Santa Claus is outside feeding his reindeer. This is Mary Christmas."

Williams says he's getting as many as 250 calls a day.

Glen Echo's Ambulance Has Plenty of Room



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LATEST ACQUISITION—The Glen Echo Volunteer Fire Department now boasts one of the longest ambulances in the world and a new $14,000 500-gallon American-La France pumper engine. The ambulance, which cost $7500, carries four stretcher patients as well as the rescue squad crew. The cab of the pumper engine is located ahead of the engine giving an unobstructed view to the driver. Left to right—in front—Assistant Chief Ernest Wood, sr.; Vice President J. B. Doyle, President H. T. McCuen, Fire Chief Joseph A. Giammatteo; in rear—Privates Ernest Wood, jr., William Graham and George P. Brocken. Open house will be held December 28 beginning at 10 a. m. so local residents can view the new fire department equipment

Oregon Primary May Be Loaded With TNT

Portland, Oreg., Dec. 15 (AP).—Oregon's unusual preferential primary election next May already is getting a lot of nervous attention from Western Republicans, who foresees a preconvention free-for-all among GOP presidential aspirants.

Coming May 21, just a month before the National Republican Convention a wide-open primary fight would have all the dynamite-laden attributes of an involuntary popularity contest at a time when the scramble for delegates was at its hottest.

Oregon's preferential primaries are unusual in that the law provides that:

1. Anyone may put his name on the ballot by the simple expedient of declaring himself.

2. With or without his consent, the name of any candidate may be entered involuntarily upon filing of a petition bearing only a thousand signatures.

3. The State's convention delegation is thereupon bound irrevocably, or until released, to the winning candidate.

It is the potentialities of the involuntary candidacy feature of the primary law which have Oregon Republican factions privately wondering.

Sole Control In Berlin Seen As Reds' Aim

By Marguerite Higgins

Berlin, Dec. 15.—The Russians have begun a new phase in their occupation policy, in the opinion of American officials. This phase, it was said, is one of probing and testing to see how far they can go to dislodge the Western Allies from control in Berlin.

The ultimate aim of the new Russian policy, the officials said, would be—provided the Western Allies prove compliant—to eliminate four-power control over the former German capital and reintegrate it in the Soviet occupation zone. Berlin is deep in the heart of the Soviet zone and some 100 miles from the British zone.

The Russians have unceremoniously discharged two Social Democratic district mayors, elected under four-power supervision, and replaced them with officials from their own political protege, the Socialist Unity Party (SED). Western officials say elected Germans can be removed from office only by agreement of the four powers in the Kommandatura, military governing body of Berlin.

The Russians made strenuous efforts to force the resignation of Jakob Kaiser, chairman of the Christian Democratic Union in the Soviet zone, who is the only leading politician in their sector of Berlin who has shown real political independence and opposition to the ruling Communists.

The Russians informed German politicians that observers of the Western Allies are not to be permitted to attend meetings in the Soviet sector of the city if these meetings are concerned solely with the Soviet sector or Soviet zone. This annoyed the Western Allies, who said that any meeting here should be open to any one of the four powers.

These Russian steps, American officials said, were made in anticipation of failure of the Foreign Ministers' Conference at London and the setting up by the Western Allies of a western German state.

Berlin is managed, theoretically, by the Social Democrats, whom the Russians consider subservient to the western powers. The price the Russians would pay for either completely neutralizing the power of the Social Democrats or ousting Allied officials from this city will, it is expected, become clear in the next few months.

Most Germans believe failure of the Foreign Ministers' Conference would result in withdrawal from Berlin of the Western Allies. The phrase heard most frequently here these days is this: "America certainly is not going to fight a war over Berlin."

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Ex-GIs Still Keep On Go After War

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP).—The GI's who kept on the move during the war did not shed their roving habits with their uniforms.

Of the 11 million Americans who moved from their homes to new localities since VJ-Day, war veterans were the most mobile group, the American Society of Planning Officials said today.

Slides 8 Floors on Cable

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP). — Gunco Maritato, 30, a carpenter's helper, tumbled into an elevator shaft at the eighth floor level today, but grabbed a cable and slid to the bottom of the shaft, suffering friction burns on his hands and ankles.

Pope's Health Improved

Vatican City, Dec. 14 (AP).—A Vatican source said today Pope Pius XII was in improved health as a result of his prolonged absence from the Vatican this year, and that he had gained 6 pounds during his stay in Castel Gandolfo, the Papal summer residence.

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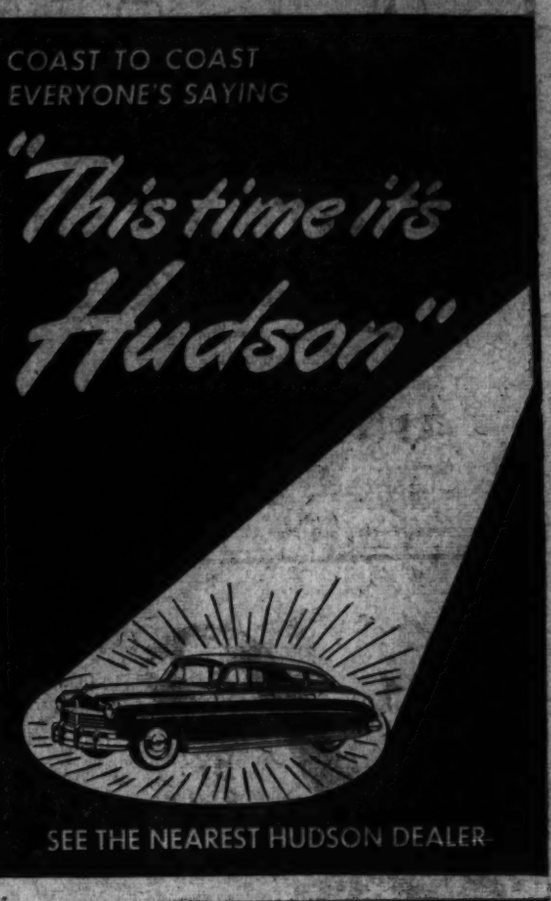

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Patterson P-TA to Meet

Parent-Teacher Association of Patterson School will meet at 7:30 p. m. Thursday at the school at S. Capitol and Darrington sts. sw. Following a business meeting, pupils of the school will present their annual Christmas program.

Ban on Atom Plant Strikes Hinted by Sen. Hickenlooper

By The Associated Press

Senator Hickenlooper (R., Iowa) said yesterday Congress may have to enact some legislation to assure continuous operations at atomic energy plants.

Hickenlooper

After a closed door session of the Senate-House Atomic Energy Committee which he heads, Hickenlooper told newsmen the group considered "the necessity for continuity of operations" at key installations.

There are certain essential plants, he said, "where we can't stand for work stoppages, either by strike or lockout."

"The question is acute and important," he added.

In reply to a question, Hickenlooper said the committee is "going to find out" whether provisions of the Taft-Hartley labor law are adequate to cover the situation.

He said Oak Ridge, Tenn., where the CIO Chemical Workers threatened a strike last week, would probably be among the plants at which any new law would apply.

Discussions will be held with members of the Atomic Energy Commission, Hickenlooper said, and later on the group will probably hold hearings at which both labor and management will be represented.

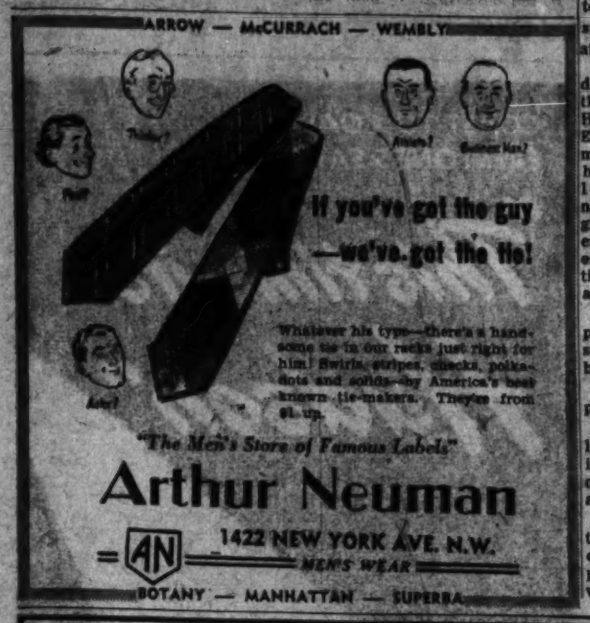
Representative Curtis (R., Nebr.) asked the House, meanwhile, to adopt legislation to prevent strikes or slowdowns in atomic bomb production plants.

"Our whole future is in the hands of the few who produce the atomic bomb," he said in a statement. "Their work stoppage at a crucial time could mean the difference between preservation of this Republic and its total disintegration."

Australian Party Lands in Antarctic

Canberra, Dec. 15 (AP).—"LST 3501," lead ship of Australia's antarctic expedition, landed a party on Heard's Island, 2000 miles southwest of Fremantle, last Friday and established a food depot, it was announced today.

The expedition plans to establish a scientific research and weather observation station on the uninhabited island.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Out Again

Although John L. Lewis did not bother to explain why his union voted to withdraw from the AFL, its action was foreshadowed by his refusal to take the non-Communist oath required under the Taft-Hartley Labor Act. Defeated in his efforts to impose his will on AFL officials, Mr. Lewis has expressed his resentment in characteristic fashion.

Not so long ago the public displayed an avid interest in the devious maneuvers of the head of the United Mine Workers. Today that interest is at low ebb; for people have come to realize that Mr. Lewis is not a labor leader of whom great things can be expected. He is still in supreme control of an important segment of organized labor—the United Mine Workers—but he has lost any chance he may once have had to influence and guide the policies of organized labor in the mass. As a result, the public has ceased to attach much importance to UMW shifts of allegiance motivated by Mr. Lewis' personal urge to get his own way. It matters very little whether the UMW attaches itself to the AFL or the CIO or decides to be independent so long as it obeys a leader who refuses to cooperate—except on his own terms.

As a troublemaker *par excellence*, Mr. Lewis still has to be reckoned with. His diminished stature in the eyes of the public has not destroyed his capacity to do great damage to the Nation by his ruthless policy of win or ruin. But we do not believe that the labor movement of the future will be directed by men of his ilk. The Lewises cannot defy public opinion year in and year out without eventually losing their hold over their own following. The Taft-Hartley Act is a warning that the people of this country intend to see that the rights of all are not sacrificed to satisfy the arbitrary demands of a few highly organized groups.

Speculative Tribe

The speculative activities of Edwin W. Pauley raise a good many questions to which a confused public would welcome simple answers. The political angles of the inquiry are comparatively easy to comprehend, since they involve questions of ethics and standards of conduct on the part of public officials. Obviously any officeholder who has access to inside sources of information and uses his knowledge to obtain speculative profits is a scamp who is unfit to serve the public. In our opinion, a Government official whose private speculative interests conflict with the objectives of the Administration he is supposedly serving is likewise disqualified for public office. That, however, is a matter of opinion, although the conclusion is reinforced by the President's condemnation of speculative activities as contributing to inflated commodity prices.

If Mr. Pauley were a private citizen, however, his defense of his speculative operations would be regarded as a strong argument against wholesale condemnation of speculators as gamblers who are largely responsible for the soaring prices of vital commodities. With reservations, we agree with his view that the inflated monetary supply and the heavy demands resulting from the export-aid program are the primary cause of rising prices. Of course, speculation is stimulated by such market conditions and the question that raises a really debatable issue on which expert opinion is divided is whether organized speculation in the commodity markets is at present contributing to price stability or aggravating price fluctuations.

Those who are familiar with the workings of the commodity exchanges firmly believe that there is need for some speculation. J. M. Mehl, administrator, of the Commodity Exchange Authority, who has years of experience to back his conclusions, recently contended in his testimony before the Joint Committee on the Economic Report that organized speculation serves a useful purpose. Furthermore, he does not believe it to be a "basic factor in determining the general level of prices in the long run."

Possibly this official pronouncement will soothe the consciences of the clergymen, school teachers, barbers, butchers, mechanics and clerks who, according to Mr. Mehl, have joined a lot of other speculators on the commodity exchanges. But that is not the whole story. Mr. Mehl agrees that an undue amount of speculation does at times have a short-run effect on prices. As an example he cites the boom in cotton in the summer of 1946 and the subsequent collapse of prices in the following October. Consequently, he favors giving the Government statutory authority to raise margin requirements on speculative positions as a means of restricting speculative activity and modifying price fluctuations.

On the other hand representatives of the grain exchanges that raised margins a short time ago at the urging of the Administration complain that higher margins have reduced the volume of trading and impaired the liquidity of the grain futures markets, with the result that smaller sales cause relatively larger price fluctuations. They also point out that higher margin requirements have not prevented further advances in grain prices.

The layman is not competent to pass judgment on such technical matters. But it is evident that the feverish speculative activities characteristic of periods of inflation like the present give rise to economic problems much more difficult to solve than the purely political issues raised by Mr. Pauley's much publicized dealings in futures.

Russia's Drastic Remedy

Moscow has confirmed the reports of inflation and panic buying in the Soviet Union in a most emphatic sort of way. The statement on revaluation of the ruble candidly admits that some prices in Russia are 10 to 15 times what they were before the war. So acute has been the Soviet's dilemma that it has suddenly called in all paper money and proposes to issue 1 new ruble "of 1947 model" for 10 old rubles. Obviously Russia has been plagued more seriously by postwar inflation problems than has the United States. But any hopeful thinking to the effect that the Soviet's system might be going to pieces is shattered by the drastic action that the Kremlin has taken. We cannot read the sweeping Moscow decree in any other light than as a manifestation of strength in the Stalin regime. No democratic government would have dared to take such a step.

There is plenty of ground, of course, for criticism of what the Russian government has done. The gross injustice of issuing 1 ruble for 10 and telling the people that their rubles will be worth nothing unless turned in under this arrangement within a week is shocking to a free people. The same may be said of the decision to recognize various Soviet bond issues at only one third of their former value. Moscow has imposed a very stiff capital levy upon the people, with precious little regard for how the individual will be affected.

At the same time we should remember that this 1-ruble-for-10 deal will not produce in Russia the revolutionary effects that similar measures in this country would entail. Indications are that the average worker in Russia has precious little saved anyway. All his income has been spent to keep body and soul together. Hereafter his wages will be paid in the new rubles, so he will not suffer a loss of income. Indeed, he may gain something from the lower prices of bread and cereals and from the abolition of the special prices (always exorbitantly high) in the commercial stores. Hereafter the Soviet Union will attempt to maintain one level of prices. If this effort is successful, workers who have heretofore spent their surplus cash in the commercial stores may obtain substantial benefits. The decree makes it evident, however, that the prices of such commodities as milk, eggs, tea, footwear, clothing and so forth are to be raised above the prices heretofore prevailing for rationed supplies of these commodities. And rationing is to be abandoned. What may be the effects of these measures on the real incomes of Soviet families is wholly a matter of speculation.

It is nevertheless clear that the general aim of the program is to benefit the industrial workers at the expense of the "speculative element" and the peasants who, like our own farmers, have reaped large wartime profits from their produce in excess of their governmentally fixed quotas. Small depositors in savings banks and state banks (mostly in industrial areas) will be paid 1 new ruble for every old ruble. Even the large depositors will fare much better than the holders of cash, including most peasants. Apparently this extreme discrimination in favor of depositors is also designed to encourage saving in governmental institutions at a time when the disposition to save by any other means has sustained a severe blow.

No free people will envy the Russians who are subjected to this harsh method of dealing with postwar inflation. But many statesmen in other lands may find it impossible to suppress a feeling of envy for a regime that can tighten up the weak places in its economy with such ease. For every country plagued by inflation as a result of the war will have to go through the wringer in some fashion. Some, including Belgium, have already done so. The only comfort this country can find in the situation is that inflation here has not gone to the extremes it reached in Russia and the people are in no danger of the ruthless injustices that characterize the Russian adjustment. The unpleasant fact remains that we have not yet met the problem, and there is no agreement among our officials or people as to how it should be met.

Italy's Turn

The first step that Italy has taken to ready the country for the Marshall Plan is devaluation of the currency. The collapse of the general strike removes a major threat to the execution of this much needed reform. The new lira rate is somewhat below that quoted for dollars in the black market—a differential that the government hopes will result in disappearance of the illegal market. That, no doubt, will be the case, if the value of the currency can be maintained at the level set by official decree. Since the Government has decided to recalculate the rate from month to month, it will be easier to prevent revival of black market activities through adjustments that may later become necessary. The disadvantage of this procedure is that it leaves the lira still subject to unforeseeable fluctuations in its exchange value. This will make it less acceptable as a means of payment for imports and will tend to discourage investment of foreign capital in Italy.

Officials of the Monetary Fund have registered a mild, though sympathetic, protest against the Italian government's decision to vary exchange rates. They point out that arrangements resulting in fluctuating exchange rates are not in accord with the Fund's long-term objectives. And they urge Italy to set a stable exchange rate as soon as possible. However, for the time being Italy will benefit from the fixing of exchange rates that do not grossly overvalue the comparative purchasing power of the lira. For overvaluation has discouraged exporting and thus deprived Italy of needed dollars and other currencies with which to pay for imports.

Whether the lira can be maintained at or near its new valuation will, of course, depend upon the success of the government in stabilizing currency values. Should the purchasing power of the lira decline further owing to continued inflation of the currency resulting from budgetary deficits or goods shortages that cause domestic prices to rise sharply, or political unrest leading to a flight from currency into goods, exchange rates would likewise drop sharply. Italy has, in fact, taken only the first step toward stabilizing her currency, and a comparatively easy one. The real test will come later, since permanent stabilization of the lira will not be achieved until internal financial reforms are effected, political disorders suppressed, and economic reconstruction swings into action.

Stanley Baldwin

A Churchill story has it that during a heavy blitz a secretary rushed into an air-raid cellar which had been fixed up as a temporary office for Mr. Churchill and told him that a bomb had fallen on Lord Baldwin's estate in Worcestershire. "What ingratitude!" exclaimed the wartime Premier, and went on with his work. Mr. Churchill referred, of course, to Baldwin's acquiescence in Hitler's rearmament and his unwillingness even to acknowledge that it was taking place (let alone to propose any countervailing measures). Churchill afterward compiled the record and called it *While England Slept*. But Baldwin had not been asleep. He knew, as well as Churchill did, what Hitler was up to, and later said he and his friends had been "worried" all the time he temporized and deceived. He declared, however, that he did not believe he could have rallied the country to the cry of "Germany is rearming; we must rearm." He felt the people would simply have thrown him out as a warmonger.

In this confession, Baldwin pointed up the dilemma of leadership. Should a popularly elected government take a people into its confidence? To pose the problem in this way is to answer it, with Churchill and Cripps, in the affirmative. There is just as little justification for deluding the people by sins of omission and commission as there is for deluding stockholders. Not that truth telling would have made any difference except to Baldwin's reputation. In one respect Baldwin was right. In the role of a Cassandra he would assuredly have been rejected. For, if Churchill's warnings were regarded as the emanations of a somewhat quixotic swashbuckler, those of a Baldwin would have been treated as signs of dotage. A man, if he has any authenticity in him, is, as Justice Holmes said, this and not that, and Baldwin could never have flamed like a D'Artagan. To be sure, he finally got around to saying that Britain's frontiers were on the Rhine, but he said it as if the Rhine were in his beloved Worcestershire, where he kept his pigs and a vast collection of pipes.

It is against the English grain to anticipate crises or to let their leaders anticipate them, whatever they know. You can imagine Baldwin saying very often, like thousands of his countrymen, "We'll cross that bridge when we come to it." It is only when the crisis is upon them, stark and obvious, that the British act. Thus almost overnight Churchill was transformed from a familiar voice in an habituated wilderness to the man of the hour, and the romantic became heroic.

Baldwin led when the English need was to remind and express rather than canalize and evoke, as, for instance, in two other great crises in his ministries: the general strike and the abdication. One involved order. The other involved duty, though Mr. Churchill, toying with a King's party, imagined other ingredients less English. In Lord Baldwin, the British had as Premier on both occasions the true embodiment of order and duty. His high sense of personal duty had already been demonstrated when, without benefit of renegotiation, he gave back to the government the portion of his fortune acquired out of 1914-18 war orders. Unquiet times, such as the period between wars, are not made for the Baldwins—those people who refuse to face unpleasant facts out of fear either that they won't be believed or that they will have to sponsor unpleasant remedies.

AUTUMNAL

What speech the waves now speak to rocks
Is as precise and grave as a Bach adagio,
Unhurried and inevitable, after the seethe of equinox,
With measured pace the waters come and go.
And facing east into the wind the gulls' dark eyes
Are calm, contemplative under the sky's calm gray,
Silenced the air of all their beating summer cries;
Austere in its silence is this hour of the day.

Wax-white, the bayberries ripen on the bough
And white the sea-worn shell upon the beach;
Berry and shell are quarry for no hunter now,
Prizes that only weather and time may reach.

FREDERICK EBRIGHT

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Letters To The Editor

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"Mysterious Mufti"

May I commend your thoughtful editorial of December 5 concerning Grand Mufti of Jerusalem. The source of his power would, however, be more clear if the full story were told.

When the British assumed the mandate for Palestine, the Nashishibis and Husseinis were the two most powerful baronial land-owning families in the local Arab community. The British gave the mayoralty of Jerusalem to the Nashishibi family and sought a corresponding honor to bestow upon the Husseinis. They wished, moreover, to dissociate the local Moslem clergy from their allegiance to the sheriff of Mecca, and hence created the post of Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and endowed that post with chairmanship of a committee to which they gave title to all Moslem religious real estate in the country.

A regular and very large income from public funds was assigned to this committee for the support of the charitable and religious activities of the Moslem religious institutions. A member of the Husseini clan was chosen to fill the post of Grand Mufti.

This particular Husseini had no prior claim to clerical eminence. He had had no special religious education comparable to that of graduates of the University of Cairo, the oldest theological seminary in the world, nor had he any previous position of clerical responsibility. Many of the local Moslem clergy in Palestine were opposed to the choice of this Husseini, and reacted so strongly that, a couple of years after his appointment, charges of personal peculation from the funds under his care were brought against him. Husseini was tried in the civil courts, found guilty, and sentenced to two years imprisonment. He was, however, not deprived of his newly created title, nor were his henchmen removed from control of the public funds which continuously flowed into their till.

By the time the Mufti had completed his prison term a well-oiled political machine had been developed, most of the dissident local Moslem clergy had either been eliminated or brought under control and Husseini stepped into a position of considerable political power. Since the disbursal of all Moslem religious funds was in his hands, no great effort was required on his part to consolidate his position. He needed only some political program that was irrelevant to the internal discords within the Moslem group, and found such an issue readily at hand in opposition to Jewish settlement of the country. From that time on he became the leader of anti-Jewish Arab activities.

The rest of the story is well told in your editorial except to point out that even after Husseini was indicted as a Nazi agent, he was not divested of the artificial title that had so generously been conferred upon him, nor were any steps taken by the Palestine government to displace his henchmen from their control of the Moslem religious funds. While it may be true, as you state in your editorial, that Husseini is a capable and astute politician, no great Machiavellian talents on his part are required to explain his continued potency as long as he controls the gravy train.

JONAS FRIEDENWALD.
Baltimore.

"Forgotten Principle"

Thanks for your December 9 editorial, "Forgotten Principle." *The Washington Post* should be proud that it is among the very few papers that have resisted the almost totalitarian unanimity in supporting practices that are destroying our basic liberties, practices that destroy men politically and economically just as if they were convicted of a crime.

This is a base procedure and, in time, carries one back to the first years of Christianity, to the Rome of the pagans and the Caesars.

Eusebius, the Bishop of Caesarea, in Palestine, the father of all Church history, whose *Ecclesiastical History* follows immediately upon the Acts of the Apostles, has much to say about the means the pagans used to combat the Christians of those days. Christians were accused of holding Thyestian banquets (eating human flesh) and practicing incest, "and such crimes as are neither lawful for us to speak nor to think."

If these charges remind us of a current practice, then what are we to think of the fact, as Eusebius points out again and again, that the one and only question asked the future martyrs for Christ was: Are you a Christian?

Many men today are just as opposed to communism as were the better classes of pagans then opposed to Christianity; many today are being driven to defend Communists from mistreatment and social destruction on the basis of their personal beliefs against which there is no law. This same process did not destroy Christianity, with the arena and the torch added. It just doesn't work. If we wish to combat Communists, let's do it by openly accusing them of their crimes, if any, and trying them in open courts. Even murderers and rapists are granted that right.

GLADYS B. MORTIMER.
Baltimore.

"Church And School"

Your editorial entitled "Church and School" under date of December 8, was right to the point. It is true not only in the New York City schools but in many other localities that the released-time program has greatly augmented and added fuel to religious animosities and made them more acute. Instead of bringing Catholic, Jewish and Protestant children in the public schools into closer and more harmonious fellowship in our democracy, it has amplified their distinctive differences in matters of religious dogma.

Little children of divergent religious persuasions are not prepared to exercise the same restraint in judgment and in conduct in religious differences as do their parents who are more mature in judgment. The result has been, that in certain localities the spirit of intolerance manifested itself in physical conflicts and acts of actual violence among the different groups thus segregated for religious instruction on released school-time. Conditions grew so bad that the public school boards had to abandon the program of teaching religion on this released-time plan. The conflicts that have arisen between the different religious groups and non-religious groups have resulted in cases being carried even to the civil courts for ajudication, which is most unfortunate as it always leaves bitter feeling existing between divergent groups no matter how they are settled in court.

C. S. LONGACRE
Takoma Park, Md.

UMT And The Marshall Plan

America must choose either to help reconstruct Europe or to pass compulsory military training. It cannot do both without injuring the American economy. During the next four years the Marshall Plan for reconstruction of Europe will cost the United States about 20 billion dollars. Peacetime conscription for the same period would cost in all close to 20 billion.

The yearly cost of conscription would be between three and five billion dollars a year, according to an article in the July, 1947, *Reader's Digest* by the Nation's leading military writer, Hanson Baldwin.

Aid to Europe will, of course, provide markets for American products as well as prevent the growth of communism. Communism is unlikely to spread among people whose needs are being met.

Universal military training, which is far less frightening than the atom bomb, would neither scare Russia nor prevent the growth of communism in Europe, if all our other vast military preparations have not produced these results. Instead, it would withdraw much needed labor from the production of consumer goods in this country. A shortage of consumer goods and a surplus of money in the hands of the consumers is a major factor in causing inflation.

Marriner Eccles, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, was quoted in the press of September 26, as warning that the country faces danger of "economic collapse" if inflation continues unchecked, and that "military expenditures comprising the largest single item in the budget . . . are one of the most important factors that contribute to inflation." He suggested that it would be better to reduce expenditures on the Nation's military forces. He said, "It may be we could spend less on military forces if we spent more to maintain conditions on which democracy and peace depend."

If we cannot add three to five billion dollars each year to our military expenditures without the possibility of economic collapse, it would be folly to pass conscription. Nothing would do more to encourage the growth of communism at home and abroad than the economic collapse of America.

Not only must a choice be made between reconstruction and conscription, but if the Marshall Plan is going to cost about 20 billion dollars, there ought to be a reasonable assurance that it will succeed. Insistence on the passage of compulsory military training now would certainly imply lack of confidence in the ability of the Marshall Plan to accomplish its purpose. It would obviously be difficult to make a case for compulsory training if the reconstruction of Europe does accomplish its purpose.

Moreover, a provocative move like the adoption of conscription would seem to imply that the reconstruction of Europe was just another aspect of the power struggle between Russia and America and not really intended to help achieve peace. This in itself would injure America. Marquis Childs, writing from Paris, was quoted in the press of October 8, as saying:

"If in coming into being the Marshall Plan takes on the appearance of another and grander move in the struggle for supremacy, the chances of final success will be small. The ordinary man who has endured so much wants to believe that it represents the hope of a better world."

To give the Marshall Plan of reconstruction the best possible chance to succeed the proposal for compulsory military training should be dropped.

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GOP Checks On Inflation

By Mark Sullivan

Grab-Bag Approach

OVER THE weekend, Chairman Taft of the Senate Republican Policy Committee gave out a 10-point program for combating inflation. Putting it in the form of 10 points, corresponding to the same number in President Truman's program, suggests a political gesture; and some of the Republican points seem a little more political and propagandist than legislative or economic.

Within the whole 20 points are no doubt, in a grab-bag way, a check of inflation. But this is not to say that enacting all the points or any number of them would bring the check.

Inflation can be checked. But it can only be checked by a group of steps taken more or less simultaneously, and—this is important—chosen with careful regard for the relation of the steps to each other.

The nature of the steps to check inflation arises from the nature of inflation itself. Inflation consists of two conditions existing together. These are (a) excessive quantity of money, especially money in the form of credit; (b) scarcity of goods. Hence the steps to check inflation must have the two corresponding purposes: (a) to reduce quantity of credit or prevent its increase; (b) to increase the quantity of goods.

TO PUT IT that way sounds simple. But because of the relation of steps to each other, their overlappings and intricate countereffects, choice of all the steps is an operation of the utmost delicacy.

This is illustrated by steps to check credit. Chairman Eccles of the Federal Reserve Board would check credit in the over-all way; he would limit the quantity of credit banks may extend, the quantity of loans they may make.

That is the over-all way and it would work. But there is an important refinement. It is recognized by one of the Republican points. As they put it "discourage further increase of bank credit . . . for nonproductive uses." The refinement lies in the phrase "nonproductive uses."

All restriction of credit as a whole serves one of the two methods of checking inflation. It prevents increase of money. But here arises the complication that bedevils the whole subject. The step to restrict credit must be considered in its relation to the other method of checking inflation, namely increasing the quantity of goods.

Some forms of credit—such as giving credit to a manufacturer to enlarge his facilities—increase the quantity of goods. Hence it is not desirable to restrict this form of credit, for increase of goods is a way of combating inflation.

BUT OTHER forms of credit serve only to increase the quantity of money and hence raise prices. These forms of credit should be restricted forthrightly and firmly. The most conspicuous example is credit for speculative purposes, in the grain markets or otherwise. Practically every program for checking inflation includes severe limitation or complete forbidding, of the use of credit for speculative purposes.

The necessity of thus distinguishing between forms of credit is merely one illustration of the extreme care needed in choosing the steps to check inflation and relating them to each other. A program of steps could be made up, each step with such limitation as might be necessary, and all the steps carefully related to each other. There are men who could do it. But neither Mr. Truman's 10 points nor the Republicans' 10 points are such a program. Whether one will be developed in congressional committees and in debates remains to be seen. This possibility is the answer to the broad question, will inflation be checked?

If the country comes to believe that inflation actually will be checked, there will be an immediate consequence. Prices will go down somewhat. For the top layer of any inflation, such as now exists, is a kind of psychological froth. It consists of general expectation that inflation is going still further, that prices are going still higher. This froth would immediately evaporate upon conviction that inflation is going to be checked. There is no method of checking inflation which does not result in a slight deflation. We will know that prices are going down when we see them begin to go down.

A candid summing-up as of today would say that the checking of inflation is not now in sight, that the forces making for it are still in motion.

Chest Goal

This is a letter addressed to those misguided people who say "I don't believe in the Community Chest. There's too much money going into overhead and too much mismanagement in running it."

I try not to show my complete scorn when I answer such people with questions such as "Would you rather have a dozen or more agencies 'pestering' you at frequent intervals for the funds they have to have in order to keep going?" Or, "Have you ever been a drive worker for the Chest or for any other charitable organization; and if so, would you rather make a dozen or so rounds to people pleading for money for each organization separately?" I don't say to those people, but I often think it, that such a remark is only their false justification for not giving anything, or for giving a much too small sum. It salves their consciences to have a 'justifiable' reason for being miserable pinch-pennies and self-centered egoists.

MRS. LESTER C. SHEPHARD.
Chevy Chase.

Marquis Childs is taking a three-week vacation. His column, "Washington Calling," will be resumed on his return.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

The Breakdown At London

THE QUESTION now is not so much what to do about Germany as what to do about the Council of Foreign Ministers. The event has proved what men of experience in diplomacy have been saying ever since the council took charge of the peacem a k i n g: that, as it is set up and as it operates, it does not promote but prevents negotiation, that it is an instrument of discord and of division and not of accommodation and agreement.

Lippmann

Even if the Soviet Union did not exist, if the western powers alone had to settle the world war, they would find it exceedingly difficult and perhaps impossible to settle any important issue if they had to deal with one another through the Council of Foreign Ministers.

BRITAIN and the United States have been working for about a year on a small part of the German problem—the economic and administrative merger of their two zones. They have been negotiating privately in Berlin, in London, and in Washington and gradually they have reached some agreement. Suppose that these relatively small and comparatively easy questions had had to be dealt with by Mr. Bevin and Mr. Marshall as the great and general problem of Germany is dealt with in the council. Suppose that Mr. Bevin had had to state the British demands, and that at once they were printed in every newspaper in the world. Suppose that Mr. Marshall had then stated the American demands, and that at once they were printed in every newspaper.

After that how could Mr. Bevin and Mr. Marshall negotiate their differences? Every concession would be proclaimed as a defeat for the one and a victory for the other. It has never occurred to the British and American governments that they could settle their differences by public declarations in the glare of absolute publicity. Yet, though the differences are immeasurably greater, we have elected to deal with the Russians by public declarations in the glare of absolute publicity.

WE SHALL have to find some other way of dealing with them. It will not be easy. But we shall have to try. For if we cannot open up other channels of diplomacy, we may arrive at a breakdown of diplomatic relations. It is better that the Council of Foreign Ministers break down than that diplomatic relations between Russia and the western world should break down.

THE HISTORY of the Council of Foreign Ministers throws some light on the problem which now we must somehow deal with. At the Yalta Conference, which was concluded on February 11, 1945, Churchill, Roosevelt, and Stalin announced that "throughout the conference, besides the daily meetings of the heads of governments and the Foreign Secretaries, separate meetings of the three Foreign Secretaries and their advisers have also been held daily. These meetings have proved of the utmost value and the conference agrees that permanent machinery should be set up for regular consultation between the three Foreign Secretaries. They will, therefore, meet as often as may be necessary, probably about every three or four months."

The important point to note is that at Yalta when the Foreign Secretaries met, the heads of Government were also meeting, and it was they, not the Foreign Secretaries, who resolved the differences and made the final decisions.

THE PRESENT Council of Foreign Ministers is a quite different thing. Mr. Byrnes tells us in his book that he prepared the plan for it, and took it to Potsdam where it was adopted. The radical difference between the Potsdam Council of Foreign Ministers and the Yalta Council was that the heads of the governments retired from the peacemaking. Mr. Roosevelt was dead. Mr. Truman had no wish to carry on his work. Mr. Churchill was defeated. Mr. Attlee was absorbed in home affairs. There was, therefore, no one of equal rank who wanted to talk with Stalin—even if Stalin had been willing to take an active part in the peacemaking.

Thus the Council of Foreign Ministers, which had been a subordinate body, became, as Mr. Byrnes puts it, "charged with the responsibility of preparing peace treaties." It has never been equal to the responsibility. For ministers are only ministers, bound by their instructions, uncertain of their tenure, unsure of their authority and representing in practice not their governments but departments of their governments.

TO MAKE matters worse the Council has had to operate in full public view—with every suggestion, remark, and intonation broadcast and magnified immediately. No diplomat in history could have succeeded under these conditions. As it happened none of the members of the Council—certainly none of the westerners—had had any previous diplomatic experience. Yet the making of this peace was as difficult a task as diplomats ever had to engage in.

WE ARE NOW witnessing the breakdown of the Council of Foreign Ministers. The best thing to do, it seems to me, is to recognize that the Council has broken down, and to open up a discussion among ourselves and with the Russians on the question of what form of diplomatic intercourse is to replace the Council.

The system of the Council does not work. Some other system will have to be tried. Since the Foreign Ministers, when they meet publicly face to face, can only aggravate their differences, other diplomatic channels will have to be found for the indispensable a n d inevitable communication between the governments. For the system which was set up at Potsdam is not the only conceivable diplomatic system. It is in fact an inconceivably bad diplomatic system.

IF IT WERE now suspended, the governments, which must nevertheless communicate and negotiate, would probably resort to the older diplomatic methods—to the exchange of written proposals, supplemented by conversations in the four capitals between the ambassadors and the foreign offices, and to the use of intermediaries,—all for the purpose of bringing about eventually an agreement among the heads of governments as to what the great issues are and how the business of dealing with them is to be transacted.

In Congress

TODAY

Senate

Meets at noon.

Committees

APPROPRIATIONS GOVERNMENT CORPORATION SUBCOMMITTEE, open, 10 a. m., hearing on TVA; Appropriations Hearing Room, Capitol.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC REPORT, open, 10 a. m., Commissioner of Labor Statistics to present City Workers Family Budget; Caucus Room, Senate Office Bldg.

CIVIL SERVICE, open, 10 a. m., Calendar; Room 135, Senate Office Bldg.

FOREIGN RELATIONS, executive, 10:30 a. m., nominations and Smith-Mundt bill; Foreign Relations Room, Capitol.

ARMED SERVICES, executive, 10:30 a. m., nominations; Room 212, Senate Office Bldg.

AGRICULTURE SUBCOMMITTEE, executive, 10 a. m., Long Range Farm Program; Room 324, Senate Office Bldg.

SMALL BUSINESS SUBCOMMITTEE, executive, 10 a. m., fuel oil shortage; Room 155, Senate Office Bldg.

PUBLIC LANDS, executive, 10 a. m., Subcommittee on Boyd nomination to be director of Bureau of Mines; Room 224, Senate Office Bldg.

House

Meets at noon.

Committees

APPROPRIATIONS, executive, 10:30 a. m., full committee on third supplemental (interim foreign aid and other matters), Committee Room, First Floor, Capitol.

AGRICULTURE, open, 10 a. m., Johnson (Ill.) Subcommittee on Fertilizer; Room 1310, New Bldg.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS, executive, 11 a. m., Case (S. D.) bill providing for an inquiry on dismantling and removal of plants in Germany; Committee Room, Gallery Floor, Capitol.

INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE, open, 10 a. m., investigating shortage of petroleum and other fuel supplies; Room 1334, New Bldg.

JUDICIARY, executive, 10 a. m., regular meeting day; Room 346, Old Bldg.

POST OFFICE AND CIVIL SERVICE, open, 10 a. m., Katherine St. George Subcommittee to consider rate making procedures for the Postal Service; Room 215, Old Bldg.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS, open, 10 a. m., to discuss administration of insurance in the Veterans' Administration; Room 356, Old Bldg.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS, executive, 10 a. m., to discuss the committee's annual report; Room 129, Old Bldg.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Met at noon.

Approved by voice vote and sent to House conference report on compromise interim foreign aid bill.

Approved and returned to House modified bill providing two million dollars for relief of Navajo and Hopi Indians.

Confirmed nominations of Jesse M. Donaldson to be Postmaster General, Paul Aiken to be Second Assistant Postmaster General, and Carl R. Gray, jr., to be Veterans Administrator.

Received bi-partisan bill to earmark further payments on Finnish war debt for education of Finnish students in the United States.

Received bill to freeze all prices at levels of December 13.

Received nominations of Tighe Woods to be housing expediter and Peyton Ford to be Assistant to the Attorney General.

Recessed at 4:45 p. m.

House

Met at noon.

Defeated Wolcott anti-inflation bill brought up under suspension of rules. Vote: 302 for the bill, 183 against, with two-thirds vote necessary for passage.

Approved, 313 to 82, conference report on interior and authorization bill, completing congressional action.

Completed congressional action, by voice vote, on bill permitting former servicemen to reinstate lapsed GI term insurance without examination until December 31, 1948.

Completed congressional action on bill authorizing two million dollars for Navajo and Hopi Indians.

Passed, 300 to 4, and sent to conference bill to increase by 750 million dollars FHA's authorization to insure mortgages on new housing.

Adjourned at 9:19 p. m.

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Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Okay, dear, you closed it!"

Jet-Propelled Naval Fighter Is Latest in Famed 'Cat' Line

Post Reporter

Beth Page, Long Island, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Another of those Grumman "cat" fighter planes which whipped the Jap air force's best in Pacific air battles was unveiled here today by the Navy.

Successor to the famed Wildcat and Hellcat is the XF9F-2 Panther—a jet propelled job with many distinctive features. The latest word in carrier fighters was demonstrated to a small group of newsmen at the Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corp. plant.

Officials said the Panther has the top speed of other jet fighters now flying—well over 600 miles an hour—and at the same time possesses the necessary characteristics of a carrier plane. These principally are a low landing speed and quick take-off.

British-Designed Engine

The Panther is powered by a Rolls Royce Nene turbo-jet engine, built in this country by Pratt & Whitney. The British designed engine is rated as the most powerful jet in the world now in production.

Some later production versions of the Panther will have Allison J-33 turbo jet engines. It will be the first jet plane with a dual source of engines, for the two models will be interchangeable in the craft. This will permit faster quantity production in an emergency.

Corwin (Corky) Meyer, Grumman test pilot who flew the plane today, said he'd got her up to 590 miles an hour. He took off after a short run of less than 600 feet and put the plane's small-wheeled tricycle landing gear down at a speed of only 85 miles an hour.

A Navy official said the craft, with external gas tanks, would have a radius of action of 300 miles, enabling it to go out that far from the carrier, fight and then return. It burns kerosene. The armament, at least at first, will be conventional machine guns. About 100 Panthers have been ordered.

The Panther has the traditional Grumman square-tipped folding wings and a streamlined, chunky fuselage. An unusual feature is the "droop snoot"—moveable leading edge of the wing—which helps slow down the craft. When landing the craft appears to have flaps on both the leading and trailing edges of the wing. Another is a specially designed cockpit to make it easy to fly. Production models will have a pilot ejection escape mechanism.

Naval aviation now has two operational jet fighter squadrons, both equipped with McDonald Phantoms. One is a Marine unit at Cherry Point, N. C., and the other a Navy carrier outfit, at Quonset Point, Long Island, both still in training.

Three other Navy experimental jet fighters—possessing improvements over the Phantom—have been built in addition to the Panther. They are McDonald's Banshee XF2H, Chance-Vaught Pirate XF6U, and North American XFJ. Aircraft carriers of the fleet still are equipped with fighters with conventional piston engines.

Panamanians Protest Pact For U. S. Bases

Panama City, Panama, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Students throughout the country went on strike and Panama City's mayor prepared to resign today, as indignation mounted over the proposed Panamanian defense base agreement with the United States.

A climax is expected Thursday, when the government probably will attempt to force a national assembly vote on the issue.

United States Army and Navy commanders today rescinded the order which restricted American soldiers and sailors to military areas over the weekend. Attacks on United States personnel, expected at the time the order was issued, failed to develop.

The students walked out in protest against 30-day jail sentences meted out to five teachers, reportedly for participation in the clash last Friday between student rioters and police, in which 33 persons were injured.

Hundred of mothers, sisters and friends of the embattled students plan to march down Central ave. at 3 p. m. tomorrow, in an all-feminine sympathy demonstration.

Reds Lose, Finns Get Locomotives

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP).—The Finnish government today purchased 10 coal-burning locomotives from the War Assets Administration, which said they originally were intended for Russia.

The purchase, awarded after sealed bids were opened at the WAA customer service center, was made at a total cost of $60,000, or $6000 each. The locomotives, never used, cost $28,400 each.

Text of Marshall Statement As Big 4 Conference Closes

London, Dec. 15 (AP).A partial text of Secretary of State George C. Marshall's statement at today's final session of the Foreign Ministers' Conference:

WE HAVE reached quite evidently a fundamental difference regarding the question of reparations . . .

We have failed to reach agreement on a treaty for Austria because the Soviet Union has demanded for itself properties and special privileges in Austria in an amount and to an extent which far exceed any rightful claims and which far exceed what a free Austria can afford. If Soviet claims were admitted it would be at the price of Austrian independence price of Austrian independence and in violation of past agreements.

At Moscow the United States, the United Kingdom and France, although differing in some details, found a common basis for agreement on the essential unagreed article in the Austrian treaty—the problem of German assets. The Soviet Union was in disagreement. To resolve our differences we appointed a treaty commission which for five months conferred in Vienna last summer. Again three delegations found a common approach. Again the Soviet Union was in disagreement. At the present meeting the French delegation presented a new proposal for a concrete settlement which sought to avoid the problems that had prevented agreement. To three delegations that proposal appeared to present a practical basis for settlement. On December 4 it was rejected by Mr. Molotov, who added that he had no new proposals to make on the subject. Thus the Soviet delegation has persistently blocked agreement by reason of its unjustified demands on Austria.

AS REGARDS Germany, taking first the subject of frontier, we have been unable to agree on what we mean by Germany. Three delegations are in accord that the Saar territory should be detached from Germany and economically integrated with France. The Soviet Union does not agree.

With respect to the eastern boundary of Germany, the Potsdam protocol clearly provided that the "final delineation of the western frontier of Poland should await the peace settlement."

The United States believes that an effort should be made to establish a frontier which, while it would compensate Poland, would not become a formidable economic barrier preventing Germany access to food and raw materials from this eastern area upon which it has heavily depended.

Three of the delegations agree that boundary commissions be at once established to examine all frontier questions. The Soviet Union rejects this proposal. We neither agree on what Germany is to be nor do we agree on establishing commissions to study these vital boundary problems.

In examining the discussions on economic principles, we have progressed only in agreeing to procedures without substance.

We have failed to reach agreement on sharing of the financial burdens. An ostensible agreement on the equitable distribution of indigenous resources is deprived of all meaning by the Soviet demand for continuation of present Soviet withdrawals of current German production for reparations.

THE SOVIET UNION has refused to furnish vitally necessary information with respect to reparations removals. Thus, we have been asked to reach agreement while information essential to such agreement is withheld by the Soviet representatives.

The Soviet delegation has refused to agree to the delinquishment of property interests in Germany unilaterally seized under the guise of reparations. As matters now stand, a large share of the produce of the eastern zone of Germany is drawn off for the Soviet account. An important part of its industry has been placed in a gigantic Soviet trust which enjoys special privilege and which is put above German law, presumably in perpetuity.

These Soviet practices in eastern Germany have prevented Germany from playing its part in the recovery of Europe. In fact they have greatly increased the necessity for the outside aid provided by the United States and the United Kingdom to enable western Germany to live. Nevertheless, the Soviet representatives have chosen to charge that this aid has as its purpose to use western Germany as a "stragetic base against the democratic state of Europe" and to advance "expansionist aims." Apart from the complete absurdity of these charges, to discontinue this aid to some 40 million Germans in the U. S. and U. K. zones until they have become self-supporting would doom the mto mass starvation.

THE Soviet Union demands reparations for itself and Poland of 10 billion dollars at 1938 values, which is at least 15 billion dollars today. These reparations payments to an undisclosed degree would take the form of current production over 20 years. This demand is not in accordance with the Potsdam agreement. It is utterly impossible of achievement on practical economic grounds. It implies the establishment of an economic power so comprehensive that it would be in reality a power of life and death over any German government.

It was accepted by all at Moscow that full agreement on economic principles was essential to the establishment of political unification. We are unable to agree on what shall be the area of German economy; we cannot agree how to make German resources available to Germany as a whole, a condition prerequisite to the revival of German economy; we are confronted with a demand for reparations in excess of the Potsdam agreement which would make a German government subservient to its reparations creditor. It is therefore clear that agreement can be reached only under conditions which would not only enslave the German people but would seriously retard the recovery of all Europe.

If real economic unity could have been established, the United State would have been ready for the German people to be immediately accorded, under agreed controls, self-government with the authority, responsibility and initiatiye this entails. But free government cannot succeed under conditions of economic serfdom. True political and economic unity would require a free movement of goods, persons and ideas throughout Germany and the establishment of a rule of law and political freedom which the occupying powers themselves would respect.

A GERMAN government of any type established to function in present conditions and under the supervision of a control council reflecting these basic disagreements would be powerless. In such circumstances a German government would be only a facade and its establishment would subtract from rather than add to a real union of the German people. It is useless to debate the characteristics of a German government when actual governmental power would be elsewhere.

The simple fact is the present division of Germany has been caused by the policies and practices of the occupying powers themselves. Only the occupying powers can create German unity in the present circumstances. That is why the United States has consistently pressed for certain fundamental decisions by the occupying powers themselves as the absolutely essential first step for the achievement of a unified Germany.

Three delegations at this conference have registered their willingness to take these decisions here and now. The Soviet Union alone refused to agree.

In view of these facts, it seems impossible at this time to make practical progress. Therefore, I reluctantly conclude that no useful purpose would be served by a debate on the other points on our agenda and I suggest that the Council of Foreign Ministers might now consider adjournment of this session.

The President's Calling List

By The Associated Press

President Truman yesterday had the following White House appointments:

10:00 a. m.—Nine Democratic and congressional leaders for foreign aid conference.

11:00—Senator Taylor (D., Idaho).

11:15—Senator McMahon (D., Conn.).

11:30—President receives group from Poultry and Egg National Board and the National Turkey Federation.

11:45—Senators Cordon (R., Oreg.) and Cain (R., Wash.).

12:15 p. m.—Joseph Grew, former Ambassador to Japan and former Assistant Secretary of State.

12:30—Robert Lovett, Acting Secretary of State.

1:00—Lunch.

3:30—Secretary of the Army Royall.

25 China Sea Pirates Loot Ship, Kidnap 6 Passengers

Hongkong, Dec. 15 (AP).—Twenty-five China Sea pirates with a yen for Occidental hats swarmed over the Dutch passenger ship Van Heutz, kidnaped six passengers and escaped today in commandeered junks with loot valued at a half million United States dollars.

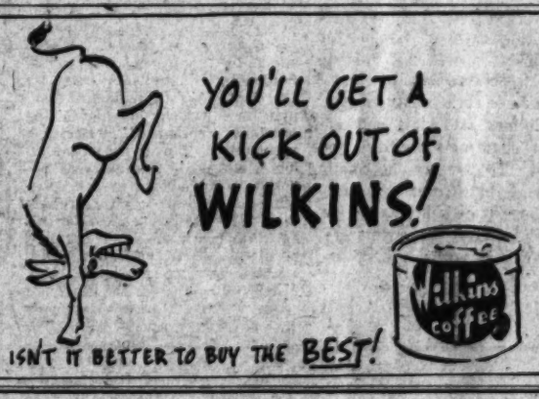
Presumably the buccaneers will hold the six passengers for ransom. Identities of the captives were not known.

Capt. Klass V. Vlick and officers of the 4522-ton vessel were held as hostages for a time and were forced to leave the ship in a motorboat and a rowboat. Later they were allowed to go back.

The band controlled the vessel for 15 hours. After gaining command of the radio room, the freebooters gathered money, jewelry and clothing from the 1600 passengers and crew.

As they searched the ship from bow to stern, some of the raiders piled as many as five hats pyramid style on their heads. Meanwhile, their nonchalant chieftain spent a comfortable night in the quarters of Captain Vlick. The pirates were dressed in American-style clothes.

Some of the pirates, disguised as passengers, had boarded the Van Heutz in Hongkong. They took over the ship at gunpoint when confederates lurking in Bias Bay swarmed aboard to reinforce them. Bias Bay is a notorious buccaneer hangout.



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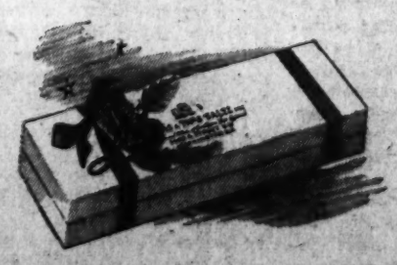

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Retail Stores' Profits Ratio Drops to 3.9%

By S. Oliver Goodman

Net profits of retailers for the first nine months declined to 3.9 per cent in relation to sales from 6.5 per cent in the same period last year.

This was shown yesterday in a survey of a representative group of 189 stores by the National Retail Dry Goods Association. John J. Kavanagh, manager of the association's controllers' congress, said: "It is anticipated that the net profit line after taxes at the end of January, 1948, will remain from 20 per cent to 30 per cent below the peak profit level of 1946."

The survey also summarized store operations for the first nine months this year as follows:

Dollar sales were up 4 per cent over the 1946 period and the average gross sale rose to $4.20 from $3.80.

The sales return ration rose to 7 per cent of sales, which was above the 1946 figure but below the pre-war average of 8.9 per cent.

Inventories at the end of October were 18 per cent greater than on the same date last year.

Operating expenses in the 1947 period rose to 30.4 per cent of sales from 27.9 per cent in 1946.

The payroll cost per transaction rose to 73 cents compared with 64 cents for the like 1946 period.

Markdowns averaged 6.9 per cent, against 4.3 per cent in 1946.

WHO'S WHO TODAY: William C. Birely, formerly with the Reconstruction Finance Corp., has become associated with the Washington investment firm of Folger, Nolan & Co. He is a son of Victor M. Birely, also associated with the Folger firm . . . Col. W. E. Grove of the Army Signal Corps and Dr. R. Y. Winters of the Agriculture Department will lead a discussion on "Program and Project Planning and Control" at a session tonight sponsored by the Washington Chapter, Society for Advancement of Management . . . James Slayter, vice president of Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp., is winner of the Industrial Research Institute medal for 1948 . . . Philip A. Snyder has been appointed general sales manager and Charles E. Horne general superintendent of Yale & Towne's new specialty plant at Salem, Va., now under construction . . . John K. Northrop, president of the aircraft firm bearing his name, has been elected president of the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences.

W. C. Birely

TWA CHANGE: Trans World Airlines yesterday announced that John A. Collins, vice president of operations for the domestic division, also has been placed in charge of overseas operations. In the latter post Collins succeeds Otis F. Bryan, who has been moved up to an executive position in the office of Chairman of the Board Warren L. Pierson.

EARNINGS: Montgomery Ward & Co. reported November net income was $8,165,000, equal to $1.24 a common share, compared with $5,347,000, equal to 80 cents a share in the same month last year. Net income for 10 months ended November 30 was $43,486,000 or $6.51 a share compared with $48,300,000 or $7.25 a share in the comparative 1946 period . . . Net profit for Brown Shoe Co. for fiscal year ended October 31 was $2,607,068, equal to $4.97 a common share, compared with $2,513,889 or $4.86 a share for the previous year.

SWIFT'S NET GAINS: With sales rising 71 per cent to a new high, Swift & Co. showed an increase of 36 per cent in net profit for the fiscal year ended November 1. Net profit of $22,334,977 was after a provision of 12 million dollars "for high cost additions to fixed assets." Net earnings from all operations compared with $16,394,739 a year ago. Earnings were $3.77 a share this year, against $2.77 in 1946. Swift's record sales for fiscal 1947 totaled $2,248,766,634, compared with $1,308,364,155 last year. John Holmes, president, said that "although net earnings were larger than a year ago, company earnings per dollar of sales were 1 cent compared with 1.3 cents in 1946."

GAS DIVIDENDS: Directors of Washington Gas Light Co. yesterday declared regular quarterly dividends on three classes of stock. The record date on the common stock dividend was pushed back so that holders of the 85,000 shares of new common to be issued soon will benefit. The 37½-cent common dividend will be paid February 1 to stock of record January 19. The $1.12½ and $1.06¼ dividends on the $4.50 and $4.24 cumulative preferred stocks will be paid February 10 to stock of record January 24.

ODD LOTS: Glenn L. Martin Co. has discontinued its project to build 3-0-3, pressurized twin-engined airliner and will concentrate more on 2-0-2, nonpressurized high-speed airliner and on military production . . . John H. Fahey, commissioner of Home Loan Bank, predicted the Government will lose no money from depression "rescue loans" and said HOLC liquidation of investments was more than 85 per cent complete . . . United Air Lines cargo ton miles in November reached 1,760,607, a 31 per cent gain over same month last year . . . Orvis Brothers & Co. in a special study gives comment and data on 10 selected air transport companies, including Pennsylvania-Central Airlines . . . The District of Columbia Income and Franchise Tax Act was discussed last night at a meeting of local certified public accountants in the Mayflower. Rusco H. Crowell presided.

Quotations On New York Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total sales, 1,430,000 shares; previous, 580,000; week ago, 955,961; year ago, 1,814,200; two years ago, 1,987,060; January 1 to date revised, 238,662,715; year ago, 249,406,080; two years ago, 367,483,247.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—

	Opns.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 Inds.	179.36	180.86	178.74	178.89	+0.35
20 rails.	49.28	50.13	49.06	49.51	+0.49
15 utils.	23.71	23.91	23.66	23.82	+0.16
65 stocks	83.76	84.33	83.44	83.84	+0.37

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 116,500; railroads, 82,200; utilities, 36,300; total, 245,000.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
ABBOTT LAB.	4	75¾	75¼	75¾	+ ¼
ACF-Brill Mot.	42	6¾	6½	6¾	+ ¼
Acme Sti.	2	84½	84½	84½	+ ½
Adams Exp	7	17¼	17	17	— ¼
Addressog-Mult.	1	36	36	36	— ...
Air Reduction.	32	27¼	26¾	26¾	— ¼
Alaska Juneau.	10	4	3¾	3¾	...
Aldens Inc.	7	17¼	17	17	...
Allegany Corp	46	3¾	3¼	3¼	...
Alleghany pf.	14	29¾	29	29	— ¼
Alleghany pr pf	2	71¾	71½	71¾	+ ¼
Aller Lad stl.	41	30½	29¾	29¾	— ¼
Allen Indust.	2	11¼	11	11	...
Al Co & Dye.	31	168	167	167	— 1
Allied Mills	7	33½	32¾	33¼	+ ¼
Allied Strs.	32	32¾	31½	31¾	+ ¼
Allis-Ch Mfg	38	39¼	38¾	38¾	— ¼
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	14	93½	93½	93½	...
Alpha P Cem.	1	31¾	31¾	31¾	...
Amal Leather.	3	6¼	6¼	6¼	...
Amerada Pet.	26	95	93	94½	+ 1½
Am Ag Ch. Del.	2	86	86	86	...
Am Airlines	111	8	7¾	8	+ ¼
Am Airlines pf.	20	85½	84	84½	— ¼
Am Bank Note.	3	21¾	21½	21½	+ ¼
Am Bosch	3	11¾	11½	11½	+ ¼
Am Brake Sh.	3	40¾	40¾	40¾	...
Am Br sh pf.	1	109½	109½	109½	+ ½
Am Cable & R.	17	4¾	4¼	4¼	— ¼
Am Can	7	80¾	79¾	79¾	— 1¼
Am Car & Fdy	15	24¾	24¼	24¼	— ¼
Am Car & F pf	1	100	100	100	+ ½
Am Ch & Cable	9	22¼	21¾	21¾	— ¼
Am Chicle	3	50½	50	50½	+ ¼
Am Cyanamid.	33	40¾	39¾	39¾	— ¼
Am Cyan pf.	14	104½	104½	104½	+ ¼
Am Distill.	3	30¾	30½	30½	+ ¼
Am Enkaus Til.	3	5½	5½	5½	...
Am European.	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	...
Am Export L.	4	8	8	8	...
Am & For Pow.	46	2¾	2½	2½	— ¼
Am & FP $7 pf	4	91¼	90½	91¼	+ ¼
Am & FP $6 pf	1	77	77	77	...
Am & FP 2 pf	11	8¾	8¾	8¾	...
Am Hawaii SS.	1	38	38	38	— ¼
Am Hide & Lea	9	7¾	7¾	7¾	...
Am House Pr.	17	24	23½	23½	— ¼
Am Locomotive	36	21¼	20¾	21	+ ¼
Am Locomot pf	1	104¼	104¼	104¼	+ 1
Am M & Fdy.	35	20¼	19¾	19¾	— ¼
Am M & Met.	3	9	9	9	...
Am Metals.	1	27	27	27	...
Am Molasses.	1	9	9	9	...
Am Pow & Lt.	25	8¾	8½	8½	— ¼
Am P&L $6 pf	15	93½	92¾	92¾	— ¼
Am P&L $5 pf	1	83	83	83	...
Am Rad & St S	26	14¾	14½	14½	— ¼
Am Roll Mill.	33	36½	36¼	36¼	— ¼
Am Safety Raz	12	11¾	10¾	11	+ ¼
Am Seating.	1	16¾	16¾	16¾	...
Am Smelt & R	18	39¾	38¾	38¾	— ¼
Am Snuff.	1	33½	33½	33½	— ¼
Am Stl Fdrs.	3	28¾	28¾	28¾	— ¼
Am Sugar Ref.	3	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ¼
Am Sugar pf.	1	127½	127½	127½	...
Am Sumat Tob	1	20	20	20	...
Am Tel & Tel	151	150¾	150¼	150¼	— ¼
Am Tel&Tel rt	810	1	1	1	...
Am Tobacco.	4	66¼	66¼	66¼	...
Am Tob B.	19	67¾	66¾	67¼	+ ½
Am Viscose.	9	56	55¼	56	+ ¼
Am Viscose pf	1	119½	119½	119½	+ 1
Am Wat Wks.	28	27	26¾	26¾	— ¼
Am W W & El	21	16¾	16¼	16¼	— ¼
Am Woolen.	25	45¼	44¼	44¾	— ¼
Am Wool pr pf	2	91½	91	91½	...
Amer Zinc L & S	8	3¾	3¾	3¾	...
Anaconda Cop	40	25¼	24¾	24¾	— ¼
Anchor Hock Gl	7	72	71	72	+ 1
Anderson Clayt	1	52¾	52¾	52¾	+ ¼
Ander-Prich Oil	34	23¾	23¼	23¼	— ¼
Arch-Dan-M.	1	38½	38½	38½	...
Armour & Co.	89	14¾	14¾	14¾	...
Armour pr pf	3	106¼	106	106¼	+ ¼
Armstrong Ck	11	49	48¾	49	+ ¼
Armst. Cork pf	1	93	93	93	...
Arnold Const.	1	15	15	15	...
Artloom Corp.	2	14¾	14¾	14¾	+ ¼
Asso Dry Goods	11	14¼	14¼	14¼	...
Assd D Gd 1 pf	1	101½	101	101	— ½
Associates Inv	3	26¼	25½	25½	— ¼
Atch T & S F	82	25¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼
Atch T&SF pf	2	101½	101	101½	+ ¼
Atl C Line	10	16¾	16¾	16¾	...
Atl Coast Line	8	48¼	47¾	47¾	— ¼
Atl Refining.	40	35¼	34¾	35¼	+ ¼
Atlas Corp.	9	22¼	22	22	...
Atlas Powd.	1	67	64½	67	+ 3
Aust Nichols.	14	6¾	6½	6½	— ¼
Autocar Co.	11	18¾	18¾	18¾	...
Autom Canteen.	5	16¾	16¾	16¾	+ ¼
Avco Mfg	85	5	5	5	...
Avco Mfg pf.	1	38¼	38¼	38¼	...
BABBITT (B T)	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ¼
Bald Loco.	45	14¾	14¼	14¼	— ¼
Balt & Ohio	8	12¼	12¼	12¼	...
Balt & Ohio pf.	30	19	18	18¾	+ ¼
Bangor & Ar.	3	13¾	13½	13½	+ ¼
Barber Asph.	3	46¼	46¼	46¼	...
Barker Bros.	3	25¼	24¾	25¼	+ ¼
Barnsdall Oil.	37	37½	36¾	37½	+ ¾
Bath Ir Wks.	9	10	9¾	9¾	...
Beatrice Foods.	3	37¾	37¼	37¼	— ¼
Beaunit Mills.	3	18¾	18¾	18¾	...
Beck Shoe pf.	3	98	97½	97½	...
Beech Aire.	16	8¾	8¼	8¼	— ¼
Beech-Nut Pack	3	34½	33¾	34	+ ¼
Belding-Hem.	3	16	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Bell Aire	9	15¾	15½	15½	— ¼
Bell & Howell.	3	23	22¾	23	...
Bendix Aviat.	24	31¼	30¾	30¾	— ¼
Bend Home Ap	10	21¼	20	20¼	— ¼
Benef Ind La.	4	24	24	24	...
Best & Co.	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	+ ¼
Beth Steel	22	105	103	104	— 1
Best Foods.	10	28¾	28¼	28½	+ ¼
Beth Steel pf	1	139	139	139	— ¼
Birmingham El.	4	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ¼
Bigelow-Sanf.	1	63½	63½	63½	+ 1
Black & Decker	1	25¾	25¾	25¾	...
Blaw-Knox.	18	15½	15½	15½	— ¼
Bliss & Laugh.	2	18¼	18¼	18¼	+ ¼
Bliss (E. W.)	3	32¾	32	32¼	+ ¼
Boeing Airplane	17	22¾	22¼	22¼	— ¼
Bohn Alu&Brass	8	31½	31½	31½	...
Bond Strs.	15	26	25¾	26	+ ¼
Borden Co.	13	42¾	42	42½	+ ¼
Borg-Warner.	12	82¼	82	82¼	+ ¼
Boston & Maine	1	8	8	8	...
Braniff Airw.	8	7¾	7¾	7¾	...
BridgeportBrass	36	10¾	10	10¾	+ ¼
Briggs Mfg.	18	32½	31¾	32½	+ ¾
Briggs & Strat.	3	23¾	23¾	23¾	...
Bristol-Myers.	9	35	34¼	35	+ ¾
Bkiyn Un Gas.	9	16¾	16½	16¾	— ¼
BrunswickBalke	3	21	20¾	21	...
Bucyrus-Erie.	19	20¼	19¾	20	+ ¼
Budd Co	40	10½	10¼	10¾	+ ¼
Buffalo Forge.	3	36¼	35½	36¼	+ ¾
Bullard Co	3	19¼	19	19¼	+ ¼
Bulova Watch.	1	17	17	17	...
Burling Mills.	36	21	20¾	21	+ ¼
Burl M cv pf	1	88	88	88	+ 1½
Burr Add Mach	17	15¾	14¾	14¾	— ¼
Bush Terminal.	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	...
Butler Bros	14	12¼	12	12¼	+ ¼
Butte Cop & Z	6	3¼	3¼	3¼	...
Byers (AM).	2	19	19	19	+ ¼
Byron Jack.	1	36¾	36¾	36¾	...
CALIF PACK.	6	34	33¾	33¾	— ¼
Callahan Z-Ld	9	1¾	1¾	1¾	...
Calumet & H.	1	7	7	7	...
Campbell Wy.	3	30½	30½	30½	+ ¼
Can Dry G Ale	14	14¼	14¼	14¼	+ ¼
Canad Pac.	111	11½	10¾	11½	+ ¼
Cannon Mills.	1	47¼	47¼	47¼	— 1½
Cap Adm pf.	1	54	54	54	...
Caro P&L.	7	29¾	28¾	28¾	— ¾
Carpenter Stl.	3	39	39	39	...
Carrier Corp.	8	18	17¾	17¾	— ¼
Carrier Cor pf	1	43	43	43	+ 1
Case (J I) Co.	19	45	43¾	44¾	+ 1¼
Caterpil Trac.	9	56	55½	56	+ 1½
Celanese Corp.	377	27¼	26¾	27	...
Celotex Corp.	17	26¾	26¾	26¾	...
Celotex Cor pf	3	20	20	20	— ¼
Cent Aguirre.	4	18¾	18¾	18¾	...
Cent Foundry.	8	6¾	6¼	6¼	— ¼
Cent Hud G&E	7	37¼	36¾	37	+ ¼
Cent RR N J.	8	81½	81	81½	+ ¼
Cent Vio Sug.	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	+ ¼
Cerro de Pas.	11	17	17	17	...
Certain-td Prod	15	17½	17	17½	...
Champ Pap&F.	7	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ¼
Checker Cab.	2	13	13	13	...
Ches Corp Va.	3	28¾	28¾	28¾	+ ¼
Ches & Ohio.	26	32¾	32¼	32¼	— ¼
Chicago Corp.	136	9¾	9¾	9¾	...
Chi & E Ill. A	12	4½	4½	4½	...
Chi & E Ill pf.	3	8¾	8¾	8¾	...
Chi Grt West.	3	8¾	8¾	8¾	...
Chi Grt W pf.	8	11¾	11¾	11¾	+ ¼
Chi Ind & L A	9	6¼	6¼	6¼	...
Chi Ind & L B	16	3¾	3¾	3¾	...
Ch M&P&Pac.	62	8¾	8¾	8¾	...
ChM&P&P pf.	40	31¾	30¾	31	...
Chi & NW.	43	16	14¾	15¾	+ 1¼
Chi & NWpf.	22	35¾	34½	35¼	+ ¾
Chi Pneu Tool.	10	33	32½	33	+ ¼
Childs Co.	1	4½	4½	4½	...
Chrysler Corp.	45	63¼	62¼	62½	— ¾
Cin G & E.	13	24½	24½	24½	+ ¼
Cin Mill Mch.	5	23¼	23¼	23¼	+ ¼
CIT Financ.	47	39¾	38¾	39	— ¼
City Ice&Fuel	3	33	33	33	+ ¼
City Invest.	7	10¼	9¾	10	+ ¼
City Stores.	5	15¾	15¾	15¾	...
Clark Equip.	11	32¼	32¼	32½	+ ¼
Clev El Illum.	21	36¼	35¼	35½	+ ¼
Clev Graph Br.	6	30¾	30	30½	+ ¾
Climax Molyb.	27	16¼	15¼	15¾	+ ¼
Cluett Peabody	19	38¾	38¼	38¼	+ ¼
Coca-Cola.	1	173	173	173	+2
Colgate-Palm-P	8	43	42¼	42¾	— ¼
Collins & Aik.	9	24½	24½	24½	— ¼
Colonial Mills.	2	19¼	18	19¼	+ ¼
Col Fuel & Ir.	21	16½	15¾	16¼	+ ¼
Col F & Ir pf.	3	18	17¾	18	+ ¼
Colum BrcastA	7	24	23¾	24	+ ¼
Colum BrcastB	4	23¾	23½	23¾	+ ¼
Colum G&El.	45	11¾	11¼	11¾	+ ¼
Colum Pict.	19	12¾	12	12¾	+ ¼
Colum Carbon.	8	34½	34½	34½	+ ¼
Col & SoOhEl.	3	40	39½	40	+1
Coml Credit.	18	43	40½	43	+2
Coml Solvents.	16	22¾	22¾	22¾	+ ¾
Comwlth &Edis	34	26¾	26¼	26¾	— ¼
Comwlth & S.130		2¾	2¾	2¾	...
Com &South pf	8	98½	97	98½	+ 1½
Conde Nast.	4	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ¼
Consol-Nairn.	5	31	30¾	31	+ ½
Cons Copperm.	2	8¼	8	8	...
Cons Edison.	78	21¾	21½	21½	— ¼
Cons Edison pf	8	106¾	106¾	106¾	+ ¼
Cons Grocers.	2	18	17¾	17¾	— ¼
Cons Laundries	2	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ¼
Cons Nat Gas.	10	50¾	50¼	50¼	— ¼
Consol Rk G pf	20	23¾	23½	23½	— ¼
Cons Rec Stgs.	3	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ¼
Cons Vultee.	22	13¾	13½	13¾	...
Consum Pow.	9	32¼	31¾	32	— ¼
Container Corp	15	42¾	41¾	42¼	— ¼
Cont Bak.	20	12½	12	12	— ¼
Cont Can.	49	34	33	33¾	+ ¼
Cont Diam Fib	3	11¼	11	11	— ¼
Cont Ins.	6	51½	50¾	50¾	— ¼
Cont Motors.	21	8¼	8	8	— ¼
Cont Oil Del.	51	83	80¾	82	+ 1¼
Cooper-Bessr.	14	25¾	25¼	25¼	— ¼
Copperweld Stl	3	13½	13½	13½	...
Corn Products	5	65¼	64½	65	...
Cornell-Dub El	14	15¼	15¼	15¼	...
Corning Glass	3	19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ¼
Coty Inc.	7	5	4¾	5	+ ¼
Coty Internat	1	3	3	3	— ¼
Crane Co.	10	35½	34	34¾	— ¾
Cream of Wh.	6	23½	23½	23½	...
Creameries Am	4	12½	12½	12½	...
Crown Cork&S	24	45¼	43¾	45	+ 1¾
Crown Ck pf.	4	43	43½	43½	...
Crown Zeller.	13	23½	23½	23½	...
Crucible Stel.	21	70	68¾	69¾	— ¾
Crucible Stl pf	1	70	70	70	...
Cuba R R pf.	3	33	32¾	33	+ ¼
Cuban-Am Sug	8	13½	13½	13½	— ¼
Cudahy Packr.	13	15¾	15¾	15¾	...
Cunso Press.	6	17	16¾	16¾	— ¼
Curtis Publishing	21	9½	9¼	9¼	...
Curtis Pub pr pf	1	86½	86½	86½	+ 1½
Curtiss-Wright	29	6¾	6¾	6¾	...
Curtiss-Wr A.	8	21½	20½	21	— ¼
Cutler-Hammer	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	+ ¾
DANA CORP.	3	24	23¾	24	+ ¼
Davega Stores	2	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Davison Chem.	14	22¾	22¼	22¾	+ ¼
Dayton P & L.	3	25¾	25¾	25¾	...
Dayton Rub.	3	14¾	13¾	14¼	+ ¼
Decca Records	23	13	12¾	12¾	— ¼
Deep Rock Oil	9	11¾	11¾	11¾	...
Deere & Co.	20	43½	40¾	41¾	— ¼
Del & Hudson	2	44¼	44¼	44¼	+1
Del Lack&West	22	8¾	8	8	— ¼
Denn & R G W	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	...
Den & RGW pf	2	17¾	16¾	16¾	— ¼
Detroit Edison	15	22¾	22¼	22¼	— ¼
Det-Mich Stove	9	13	12¾	12¾	— ¼
De Vilbiss.	3	15¾	15¾	15¾	...
Devoe & Raf A	1	52	52	52	...
Diamond Match	2	45	40	40	+1
Diam T Motor	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	...
Dist Corp-Seag	39	17	16¾	16¾	— ¼
Divco Corp.	1	17	16¾	16¾	— ¼
Dixie Cup.	1	29	29	29	...
Dr Pepper.	2	21½	21½	21½	— ¼
Doehler-Jarvis.	13	27¾	27	27¾	+ ¼
Dome Mines.	20	27¾	27¼	27¼	— ¼
DouglasAircraft	22	47	46¾	46¾	— ¼
Dow Chem.	37	38½	37¾	38	— ¼
Dow Chem 2d pf	6	99	99	99	...
Dresser Indust.	30	23¾	23	23	— ¼
Dresser Ind pf	1	94	94	94	...
Dunhill Int.	9	13½	13¼	13¼	— ¼
Duplan Corp.	2	16¾	16	16¼	+ ¼
du Pont de N.	11	180¾	180¼	180¾	+ ¼
du Pont pf.	1	4.120¼	4.120¼	4.120¼	...
du Pont 3½ pf	1	99½	99½	99½	+ ¼
DWG Cigar.	1	15	15	15	...
EAGLE-PICH.	4	22	21¾	22	+ ¾
Eastern Air L.	71	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ¼
Eaton & Ax.	46	21	21	21	...
Eastman Kodak	8	44½	43¾	44¼	+ ¼
Edison misc.	1	24.78	24.78	24.78	...
Edison Stor Strs.	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ¼
Elec Prod.	1	19	18¾	19	+ ¼
Electric Stor B.	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	...
El Auto-Lite.	9	52¾	52¼	52¾	+ ¼
Elec Boat.	11	8	8	8	...
El Boat pf.	1	36	36	36	...
El & Mus Ind.	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	...
El Power & Lt.	31	17¾	16¾	16¾	— ¼
El Powerlt $7pf	4	150	149¾	149¾	— ¼
El Powerlt $6 pf	2	137	136	137	+ 1
El Storage Bat.	1	109¾	109¾	109¾	+ ¼
El Paso Nat Gas	2	37½	36¾	36¾	— ¼
Emerson El M.	12	37½	37½	37½	+ ¼
Emer Rad & Ph	12	24¾	24	24¼	+ ¼
Empire Dist.	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	...
Endicott-John.	1	113½	113½	113½	...
Equit Off Bldg	88	4½	3¾	3¾	— ¼
Equit Off Bldg 200		1¼	1¼	1¼	— ¼
Erie RR.	31	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ¼
Erie RR pf A.	1	50	50	50	+ ½
Eureka Wms.	2	9	8¾	9	+ ¼
Evans Products.	4	20	19¾	19¾	— ¼
Everhardy.	29	11¾	11¼	11¼	— ¼
Ex-Cell-O.	4	11	10¾	10¾	— ¼
ExchangeBuffet	4	11	10¾	10¾	— ¼
FAIRBANK MOR	1	52½	52¼	52¼	— ¼
Fairm Tel&Rad	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	...
Fedders-Quig	27	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ¼
Fed Mog&Smelt	2	36¾	36¾	36¾	...
Fed Mogul.	2	19¾	19¾	19¾	...
Fed Mot Truck	2	26¾	26¾	26¾	...
Federal D Strs	19	23½	23½	23½	...
Fell&Tarr Mfg	1	22¼	22¼	22¼	...
Ferro Enam.	1	27¾	27¾	27¾	...
Fid P Fire Ins	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	...
Firestone T&R.	4	50¾	50¾	50¾	+ ¼
First Nat Strs	1	104	104	104	...
First Nat Stre	1	61	61	61	...
Fitch Carpet.	1	15¼	15¼	15¼	...
Flintkote.	13	16¾	16¼	16¾	+ ¼
Flintkote pf.	1	100	99¾	100	+ ¼
Florence Stove.	1	34	34	34	...
Florida P&L.	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	...
FlorsheimShoeA	2	22½	22½	22½	...
Follansbee Stl.	43	37¾	36¾	37	+ ¼
Food Fair Strs.	4	10¾	10¾	10¾	...
Food Mach.	7	27¾	27¼	27¼	— ¼
Foster Wheeler.	29	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ¼
Post Wheel pf.	1	26½	25¾	26½	+ ¾
Francisco Sug.	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	...
Freeport Sulph.	1	39½	39½	39½	...
Froedt G & M.	1	39	39	39	...
Freuhauf Trs.	39	20¾	20	20¼	— ¼
GABRIEL CO.	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ¼
Gair (Robert).	3	9¾	8¾	8¾	— ¼
Gair (Robert)pf	2	19½	19½	19½	— ¼
Gamewell Co.	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ¼
Gar Wood Ind.	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	...
Gar Wood pf.	1	21	21	21	...
Gaylord Cont.	25	20½	20¼	20¼	— ¼
Gen Am Invest	9	15¾	15¾	15¾	...
Gen Am Trans.	13	64¾	64¼	64¾	+ ¼
Gen Baking.	3	10	9¾	9¾	...
Gen Bronze.	1	12	12	12	...
Gen Cable	13	13¾	13½	13¾

SEC Payroll Of $3,620,000 To Shift Here

Washington will gain a $3,620,000 annual payroll with the removal early in January of the Securities and Exchange Commission from Philadelphia.

A substantial amount of transient revenue also will be gained for Washington business. The agency brings hundreds of attorneys and members of the financial community in connection with SEC proceedings and business.

On January 5 the Government agency will begin vacating the former Penn Atheletic Club headquarters, which it has occupied since March, 1942, when it was deported from Washington because of war-created housing shortages.

Although it will cost the Government about $210,000 to move the SEC as well as its employes and and their families, a $200,000 annual rent bill will be saved.

In Washington the agency will occupy a Government-owned building at 425 2d st. nw., formerly used by the War Assets Administration.

Although the return to Washington has been long sought by the SEC, 74 employes—mostly clerical workers—already have resigned and more than 200 are expected to quit by January 5.

An SEC spokesman said only 650 of the 863 employes are expected to return to Washington. Replacements and additional staffers, however, will raise the figure to 900, he said.

The move will lose the SEC about 50 per cent of its present clerical staff.

When the SEC came to Philadelphia, some 400 staffers resigned.

Chicago Liquor Firm Sold for 15 Million

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP).—L. A. Weiss, an independent liquor dealer, today announced he had arranged to purchase for 15 million dollars all the stock of Philip Blum & Co., Inc., Chicago distillers, rectifiers, liquor wholesalers and importers.

Management of the company will receive $16.50 a share for its stock, Weiss said, and other stockholders will receive $17.

Switzerland to Permit Capital Shift From U. S.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 15 (AP).—The Swiss National Bank will permit the partial transfer of Swiss capital from the United States to Switzerland after January 1, it was announced today.

Only interest payments have hitherto been permitted from Swiss dollar accounts into Switzerland. Officials of the National Bank said the restriction will be eased to counteract Switzerland's growing trade deficit as imports continued to outweigh exports.

Business Outlook

Not Enough Cloth for Money, Stalin Cuts Money to Cloth

By J. A. Livingston

Dear Comrade Ivan Ivanovitch:

Seldom do I, Josef Stalin, write you a personal letter. But this time I must. Once again, you see the vile, American capitalistic press at work, misrepresenting the noble effort of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. The great newspapers of America have described our momentous monetary reform as a devaluation of the currency. Obviously it was no such thing.

Livingston

Comrade, we have raised the value of your currency. For every 10 rubles you now have, we give you 1 in exchange. Since there will be only 1 ruble when there were 10 before, each new ruble will be worth 10 times as much. Why doesn't the capitalistic press describe what we have done honestly as "a good old-fashioned capital levy?"

Only our levy doesn't apply to all kinds of capital. It's highly selective—in your interest, Comrade.

We're not taxing people who have built fine homes with terraced gardens, or who own automobiles, or fine furniture. We're not sharing our riches, we're sharing our shortages. Nor would you want us to, Comrade. We must protect your hard-working bureaucrats. They have to live comfortably—in peace of mind—to plan your economic well-being. They have faith in the future of the Soviet Republic. They have invested in land, buildings, and other real things. We should not destroy this touching faith.

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YES, COMRADE, I realize that you, too, had faith. You bought the bond issued by our great republic. And we are rewarding you accordingly. If you bought your bonds this year—if you managed to maintain your faith to this date—you will be repaid in full. Other loans will be recognized at 33 1/3 per cent of face value—that is, 1 new ruble for each 3 old rubles.

As for the State lottery bonds, they are being treated on a 1-for-5 basis. And that is only fair, is it not, Comrade? Those who had to be induced by a lottery—by the hope of plutocratic gain to put their savings in State bonds—they ought to be expropriated, don't you think?

Please note, Comrade Ivan, that this is a system of progressive revaluation. The first 3000 rubles on deposit in banks are left intact. Those who have had greater faith in our banking system do better. On the next 7000 rubles, Comrade, you get 2 new rubles for each 3. Think of that, Comrade, an increase in value of your old ruble of 50 per cent. And for all rubles over 10,000, you receive 1 new ruble for each 2. That's an increase in value of 100 per cent. Thus the more faith you had in our banks, the greater is our show of appreciation.

By far the greatest beneficiaries are the peasants. During the war, they managed to sell the produce from their private plots of land at high prices in our State-owned commercial stores. Many of them had no access to banks. Many of them did not buy bonds or participate in the lottery. They kept their rubles because they had supreme faith in the solvency and integrity of our great republic. So they get rewarded most of all.

Like all holders of rubles, for every 1 ruble they shall receive they shall be privileged to surrender 10. That means an instantaneous increase in value of 900 per cent. You can readily realize what a great inspiration that will be to our peasantry. They'll work 10 times as hard to get just as much. So you see, Comrade, how clever the plan is. It's designed to increase productivity. And that's something that the famous American labor leaders, like John L. Lewis and Philip Murray, haven't thought of.

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AND NOTICE another thing. This is no halfway measure. It's not like in Belgium, where the government merely blocked off currency, treating all families alike. And then, the government instituted a capital levy on all kinds of property, permitting holders of blocked belgae to use them to pay their taxes. In Russia, we don't believe in taking two steps where one will do. The Belgians felt they were short of goods, so they impounded currency. Here, we eliminate currency by increasing its value.

What's more, Comrade, we're doing away with rationing. I see where C. A. Sienkiewicz, president of the Central-Penn National Bank of Philadelphia, calls that a "sop" to people who have "lost their money." Another example of capitalist distortion. He doesn't seem to understand that this is an economic coup de grace. We had too much money on hand for our supply of goods. We couldn't produce any more goods. So we used an old, old trick.

In America, they cut the cloth to the pocketbook. Here we cut the pocketbook to the cloth. And we have an ancient authority for so doing—Procrustes, who cut the body to fit the bed. And now, Comrade, I'm sure you understand everything.

Your obedient dictator,
JOSEF STALIN.

2 'Teen-Age Brides Rejoin Mates Briefly

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—Two 'teen-age brides and their husbands, whose honeymoons were interrupted by the mother of the girls, were reunited today—but only briey.

Next act in the real life drama will be staged Thursday in Norfolk Circuit Court when Judge

Swanner

Tyndall

Clyde H. Jacobs will hear habeas corpus proceedings brought by Milton Tyndall, 24, and Floyd Swanner, 21, seeking return of their brides of 10 days, Pauline Tyndall, 14, and Frances Swanner, 16. The habeas corpus petitions would override an earlier Juvenile Court order returning the girls to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson.

The Andersons also filed in Circuit Court today an action seeking annulment of the two marriages, which were performed December 5 at Mayock, N. C.

Robert McMurran, attorney for the bridegrooms, objected to the postponement of the habeas corpus hearing and said 'the girls had nothing to do with filing the suits; they do not want annulments. They are anxious to return to their husbands." But Judge Jacob said he felt a three-day postponement would do no harm.

The bridegrooms, both veterans of World War II, charged in their habeas corpus actions that the girls are being confined against their wills. Tyndall and Swanner said they were arrested December 10 on charges of contributind to the delinquency of the girls. Hearing of these charges was continued in Juvenile Court until January 12 and Judge Herbert Cochran instructed the girls to return to their parents pending the hearing.

Guard Inspection

Leonardtown, Md., Dec. 15.—First formal inspection of the St. Marys County National Guard Unit will be at 7:30 p. m. Friday at Leonard Hall Naval Academy gym. Col. C. L. Claypoole of the State National Guard and his staff will participate in the ceremonies.

Potomac Bridge Brings Md. Four Times Expected Income

Newburg, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Jingling tollhouse cash registers today played overtones to a statistical report showing Maryland's towering $5,500,000 bridge across the Potomac River is a financial bonanza.

Considered a gamble when opened in December, 1940, the bridge is now bringing in four times as much money as anticipated, because it opened a through traffic route between North and South avoiding Washington via U. S. 301 from Baltimore to Richmond.

In its first nine months, the bridge handled 117,280 vehicles and took in $120,057. In the year ended September 30, 1947, it handled 594,038 and took in $606,326.

The Potomac Bridge and the Susquehanna Bridge on U. S. 40 between Havre de Grace and Elkton were financed by a $2,350,000 Federal grant and a six-million-dollar Maryland bond issue. The Susquehanna Bridge brings in even more money.

The toll across the Potomac is 75 cents for a passenger car, plus 15 cents for each occupant in addition to the driver, and the fee for trucks ranges from $1 to $5.50.

Grand Jury to Probe Virginia Traffic Death

Winchester, Va., Dec. 15—Russell F. Fletcher, 25, has waived preliminary hearing on a manslaughter charge and has been released under $1000 bond for his appearance before a Corporation Court grand jury December 22. Fletcher is allegedly the driver of a car in which Floyd Potts, a passenger, was killed when the vehicle went out of control on December 6.

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D. C. Securities

Yesterday's quotations on Washington Stock Exchange:

Sales—After Call
Terminal Ref. & Wh. Corp.—6 at 48½.
Pot. Elec. Pwr. com. w. d.—200 at 13¾, 100 at 13¾, 100 at 13¾, 200 at 13¾, 100 at 13¾, 100 at 13¾.
Pot. Elec. Pwr. com.—3 at 13¾.
Lanston Monotype—70 at 21½, 30 at 21½.
Pot. Elec. Pwr. com. w. d.—200 at 13¾.

BONDS	Bid.	Asked.
Public Utility		
Am T&T conv deb 2¾s, '57, wi	106⅝	107½
Am T&T conv deb 2¾s, 1961	103⅛	104⅛
Cap Trac 1st Ref 4s, 1964	85	93
City & Suburban 5s, 1948	101	.....
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s, 1961	115	.....
Pot Elec Pwr 3½s, 1966	105	.....
Pot Elec Pwr 3½s, 1977	110	.....
Washington Gas 5s, 1960	119	.....
Miscellaneous		
Tw Rl & W Cp 1st 4½s, 1948	100	101
STOCKS		
Public Utility		
*Amer Tel & Tel (8)	150⅝	.....
*Capital Transit (2.00)	14½	15⅛
N & W Steamboat (†4)	100	.....
*Pot Elec Pwr com (.90)	13¾	14⅛
Pot Elec Pwr com (.90)	13⅛	14⅛
*Pot El P 3.60% pf A (1.80)	45	46
*Pot El P 3.60% pf B (1.80)	45	46
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	30	31
*Wash Gas Lt cum pf (4.25)	100	101
Wash G Lt cum conv pf (4.50)	103	106
National Banks		
Capital (.90)	32	35
Liberty (6)	300	.....
*Lincoln (†5)	33	.....
Riggs (12)	325	340
Washington (8)	125	.....
Trust Companies		
Amer Bec & Tr Co (10)	288	303
Natl Sav Tr (8.00)	390	433
Prince Geo Bk&Tr (†1.00)	26	.....
*Union Trust Co (†1.00)	35	40
Wash Loan & Tr (12)	330	340
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (†1.00)	45	.....
Com & Savings (†10)	352½	.....
Fire Insurance		
American (†6)	150	.....
Firemen's (1.40)	31	.....
National Union (.75)	16	.....
Title Insurance		
Columbia (†20)	14	15½
Real Estate (†8)	190	.....
Miscellaneous		
*Carpel Corp (2.00)	32	.....
*Garfinckel com (1.80)	17½	18
*Garfkl 5½% cu cv pf (1.375)	24½	26
*Garfkl 4½% cu cv pf (1.125)	20	22
Hecht Co (†1.00)	41¾	43¾
Hecht 3¾% com pf (3.75)	88	93
Lanston Mono (2.00)	20¾	21¼
*Merchants Dray & Tr (1.60)	53	59
Natl Mtg&Inv (c2.00)	7½	.....
*Peoples Drug (1.60)	44½	.....
Security Storage (†5)	107	.....
Tw Rl & Wh Corp (3)	42	.....
*Wash & Md Coach com (12.00)	41¾	44
*Wash Gas & Light com (†7)	105	.....

†Ex-dividend. †Plus extra or extras. (a) Paid so far this year. (c) Paid 1947. (wd) When distributed. (wi) When issued. (b) Plus stock dividend.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP). (USDA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; total, 16,000; barrows and gilts closed active, 50 to mostly 75 cents higher than Friday's top, 26.75 freely; bulk good and choice 180-300 lbs. butchers, 26.50@26.75; weights under 180 lbs. scarce; few good and choice, 160-180 lbs. barrows and gilts, 26.25@26.65; sows steady to weak; bulk good and choice around 350-500 lbs., 23.00@24.00; good dr...ahes.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000; total, 14,000; salable calves, 1000; total, 1000; fed steers and heifers generally steady; high-good and choice offerings scarce; mixed high-medium and good grades in liberal supply selling on peddling market; common and low medium steers and heifers active; choice steers and yearlings, 23.50@26.50; latter price load-lot top; short load, 26.00; excessive supply high-medium to good grade weighty steers here of value to sell at 25.00@26.00; choice to prime 950-lb. heifers reached all-time higher at 26.50; most good and low choice heifers, 25.00@27.00; beef cows weak at 15.00@20.00; cutters steady at 14.25 down; bulls and vealers steady; weighty sausage bulls to 21.00; greater than offering of 500 stock cattle scarce.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 8500; total, 9000; very slow; bidders around 50 cents lower on slaughter lambs; good and choice wooled kinds held above 24.00; few early sales other classes weak; deck good to choice yearling wethers, 20.50; stock cull aged ewes, 7.00; load good to choice 85-lb. Dakota whitefaced feeding lambs, 21.00.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—Prices represent sales on wholesale markets:

APPLES—Supplies moderate; market steady; bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches and up, Virginia, Winesaps and Delicious, 4.00@4.50; Staymans, 3.25@3.50; Yorks and Black Twigs, 2.75@3.00; Romes, Western Delicious, mostly 4.00@4.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Supplies moderate; market steady; U. S. No. 1, basket baskets, Virginia, 1.75@2.25.

EGGS—Market not to prompt f. o. b. Richmond: Receipts light; market about steady; mixed colors, 1 case, 37; 2 cases, 38; 3 cases, 39; 4 cases, 40; 5 cases, 41; 6 cases, 42; 7 cases, 43; 8 cases, 44; 9 cases, 45; 10 cases, 46; 11 cases, 47; 12 cases, 48; 13 cases, 49; 14 cases,

Football Fans Will Pick New Year's Bowl Winners

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

REDSKIN DEPT.—Until such time as the Redskins can trade some of their league records for winning touchdowns, I refuse to be impressed with such items as, (1) most yardage gained, (2) most passes thrown and (3) most passes completed. The scoreboard is just as stubborn about it as I am. It pays off only on touchdowns.

POVICH

The Redskins had a pretty horrible season, I'd say. One record they're not boasting about is their distinction of being the most-scored-on team in the league, Eastern Division and Western Division. They were the softest club in the league to score against. They yielded three or more touchdowns to every opponent until their last game when the Boston Yankees were held to 13 points. Their defense was just as futile as, well, their running attack.

They got licked in eight of their 12 league games. The neatest thing about the Redskins was the business they did in selling 30,000 season tickets. The customers were giving 'em away before Sunday's game which was marked by empty seats in the best reserved sections. It was a pretty meaningless game the Redskins were playing with the Yankees, but many a fan who didn't care to see it had already paid for his seat. The Redskins' front office out-performed the team this year.

FIGHT PICTURES—Speaking of meaningless exhibitions, how about those so-called "official" fight pictures of the Joe Louis-Jersey Joe Walcott bout they're showing in the theaters? They don't represent the Louis-Walcott fight. They merely offer the highlights of the battling and I'd say the films don't even qualify as half-truths.

Some of the rounds are cut to less than two minutes in the filming, and the theater-goer might well leave the show wondering what on earth the squawking was all about, with Louis the clear-cut winner, according to the movies. The films are a distinct disservice to Walcott, who was in there for three minutes in every round against Louis, and outpointed him clearly over the long stretch in addition to knocking him down twice.

It was the nonfighting sequences when Walcott was making a chump of Louis by his clever footwork that were cut from the film. I'd say they were cut to show Louis at best advantage. They showed the slow-motion of Louis making his best stand in the ninth round with a flurry to Walcott's head, but where was the slow-motion camera when Walcott sent Louis kicking for a count of seven in round four? The films ought to go back in the can.

YANKEE DEPT.—Bucky Harris, manager of the Yankees, is not quite panicked at the idea the improved Red Sox may nab the pennant the Yanks won last year. When an enthusiastic Boston baseball writer approached him before the Red Sox acquired Stan Spence and said the Cleveland Indians were dickering for Spence, Harris commented:

"Yeah, the Indians are dead serious about trying to beat out the Tigers for second place next year."

That didn't sound as if Harris was reckoning the Red Sox as much of a pennant factor, and in fact he isn't swept away by the notion they can beat out his Yankees.

"We'll be better off in pitching with Red Embree," said Harris yesterday. "I know his won-and-lost record with Cleveland wasn't much, but his earned-run record was. Put that kind of a pitcher with a club that can get him some runs, and he'll win more games."

As far as his catching goes, Harris is similarly unworried. "They made fun of Yogi Berra in the World Series, but they can't make fun of the way he hits that ball. He's going to catch for us, and he'll improve. If those clubs don't think we like him, let 'em try to get him away from us."

NEW YEAR GAMES—Certainly the most worthy of the New Year's Day football games is the Shrine East-West game between picked college stars at San Francisco for the benefit of crippled children's hospitals. And as a whole, better football talent will be on display than in any of the bowl games of the day.

They've been playing the East-West game for 22 years now, and it's for the aggrandizement of no coach. The proceeds go entirely to the rehabilitation of crippled kids, and the players who participate are taken on a round of the hospitals before the game. They come away impressed with their part in the fund-raising and grateful for their opportunity to make their own contribution.

"Strong legs will run so that weak legs may walk," is the slogan of the Shriners who stage the game. It has been a sell-out for all of the 22 years it has been played. More All-Americans have played in the East-West game in Kezar Stadium than in any other park. The West has won 12 of the games, the East six, with four ties.

G. W. Whips Davidson By 57 to 40

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

George Washington's unbeaten Colonials had an easy time posting their sixth straight victory last night, drubbing Davidson's Wildcats, 57 to 40, at the National Guard Armory before a handful of spectators.

The triumph was GW's third in Southern Conference play and gives the Colonials undisputed possession of the league lead at this early stage of the season.

Williams Stars

Had it not been for the presence of Forward Mike Williams, Davidson would have fared considerably worse than it did. Williams, a sharpshooting junior, was just about the entire Wildcat offense, cracking down for nine baskets and five free throws to lead the scorers with 23 points.

But the Colonials simply had too much class and it asserted itself early in the first half. With Davidson leading, 6-5, Freshman Johnny Moffatt of GW, swished one in from the pivot spot and the Colonials were off.

Zahn Clears Beach

At no stage of the game were the Colonials pressed. Coach Otts Zahn cleared his bench, using all 13 players, with eight of them breaking into the scoring column. Bill Cantwell topped his team with 11, while Phil McNiff and Moffatt trailed with nine apiece.

GW led, 24-15, at halftime, and owned a 20-point advantage, 57-37, shortly before the game ended.

Geo. Wash.	G	FG	FP	F	Davidson	G	FG	FP	F
Cantwell,f	5	1	1	1	Mauer,f	1	0	3	3
Hoffman,f	2	1	2	5	Poole,f	0	0	0	0
Cerra,f	3	1	1	7	Mills,f	0	0	3	0
Shapiro,f	0	0	3	0	Iverson,f	0	2	3	2
Lewis,f	0	0	1	0	Cheek,c	3	1	1	7
Haithcock,c	3	0	3	6	Roddey,c	0	0	0	0
Small,c	2	1	1	5	Cobb,g	1	1	1	3
Olshin,c	0	0	0	0	H'enveld,g	0	0	0	0
McNiff,g	4	1	0	9	Williams,g	9	5	3	23
Moffatt,g	4	1	4	9	Hopper,g	1	1	1	3
Adler,g	2	1	4	5					
C'enabum,g	0	0	1	0	Totals	15	10	17	40
Charnock,g	0	0	0	0					
Totals	25	7	21	57					

Score at halftime—George Washington, 24; Davidson, 15.
Free throws missed—Mills, Cheek (2), Haithcock, Williams (4), Cantwell (2), Poole, Hoffman (2), Hopper, Adler, Iverson (4), Cerra, McNiff, Moffatt (2), Citrenbaum.

C. U. Turns Back Towson, 57 to 53

Catholic University's Cardinals, after rolling up a 15-4 lead in the first quarter, had to throw back a last-ditch rally by Towson (Md.) State Teachers, to win, 57-53, last night at Catholic U.

Two quick baskets by Scotty Cranston with two minutes to play broke a 50-50 tie and gave the Cards their second Mason-Dixon Conference victory against one loss.

Towson began to cut down the C. U. margin in the second quarter, and trailed by only 30-25 at the half. C. U. still led 45-43 at the third quarter mark. With two minutes to go, Towson tied the score, but Cranston saved the day for C. U.

Cranston, a former Gonzaga High of Washington, D. C., standout, took scoring honors with 20 points. Teammate George Laubacker chalked up 15 before fouling out in the final stanza. High scorers for Towson were Pete O'Brien and Warren Stroh with 14 and 12.

The loss was Towson's fourth in six starts.

Catholic	G	FG	FP	F	Towson	G	FG	FP	F
Cranston,f	10	0	2	20	O'Brien,f	7	0	0	14
Dudley,f	4	3	2	11	Kimmett,f	4	1	2	9
McGrane,f	0	0	1	0	Watson,f	1	0	1	2
L'bacher,c	6	3	5	15	Stroh,c	5	2	3	12
Connor,c	1	0	5	2	Glebas,g	4	2	3	10
Lambert,c	1	0	0	2	Smith,g	2	1	3	5
Sziarz,g	1	4	2	6	Prassino,g	2	1	4	5
Walsh,g	0	0	4	0	Zacharko,g	0	0	0	0
Koirado,g	0	1	0	1					
Totals	23	11	21	57	Totals	25	7	16	53

Score at halftime—30-25, Catholic U.
Officials—Fox, Frisiecher.

Luray Splits Games

Washington, Va., Dec. 15.—Washington and Luray High School basketball teams split a doubleheader here last night. Luray boys won 20 to 14, while Luray girls lost 38 to 20.

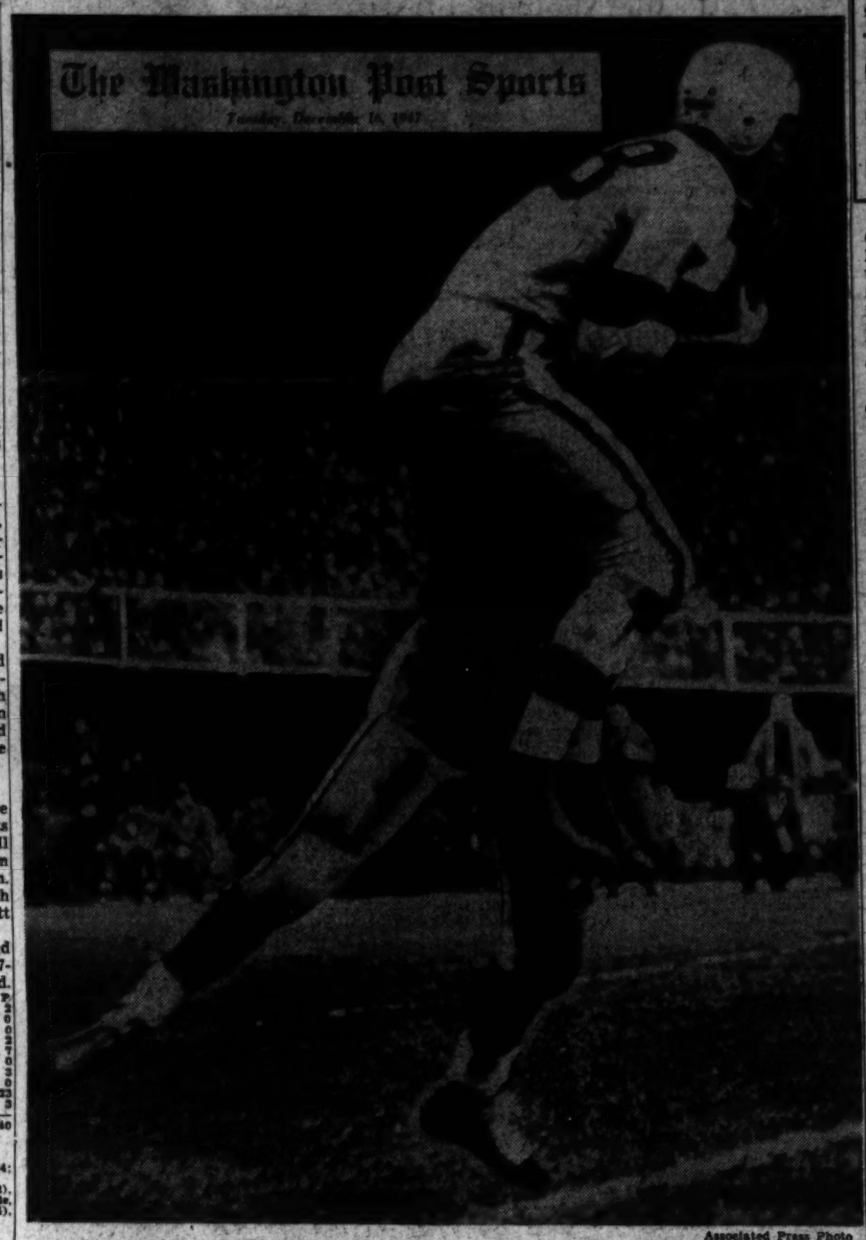
Court Coach Resigns

Murray, Ky., Dec. 15 (AP).—The resignation of John E. Miler as head basketball coach of Murray State Teachers College was announced today.

Results

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

George Washington 57		Davidson	40
Catholic University 57		Towson Tchrs.	53
Purdue 50		Pittsburgh	27
Wofford 72		Biddle	62
Westminster 60		Millersville	52
Duke 50		Hampden-Sydney	45
Youngstown 62		Gannon	45
Furman 54		Georgia Tech	53



Associated Press Photo

RIDE HIM, COWBOY—Mac Speedie, Cleveland Browns end, is tackled by Harmon Rowe, New York Yankee back, as he goes high into the air to grab a pass from Otto Graham in Sunday's championship game of the All-America conference in Yankee Stadium. Cleveland won, 14-3

Lovett Makes Debut With Lions Tonight

Playing on home ice for the first time since November 28, the Washington Lions will face the high-scoring Indianapolis Capitols at 8:30 tonight in Uline Arena.

One newcomer, in the person of Herb Lovett, 20-year-old wingman recently acquired from the Chicago Blackhawks, plays with the Lions tonight.

On the debit side, Bud Foley will be out with an eye injury and spark-plug Walter Babey is still recovering from a broken thumb.

Three Top Scorers

Indianapolis, boasting three of the leading scorers in the league, Cliff Simpson, Fern Gauthier and Don Morrison, barely eked out a 3-2 victory over Washington in its last appearance here.

But the Lions have come a long way since that game. A young club, Washington exhibited a vastly improved brand of hockey in its last two games on the road.

Against Pittsburgh, the Lions barely missed scoring a notable upset, finally losing out, 4-3, after holding a 3-1 lead in the final period.

Lions Rally to Win

And in the game with Springfield, the Washington skaters came from behind with a three goal surge in 65 seconds of the last session to win, 4-3.

George Hunchuk, who scored one of the goals against Springfield, will team with Jack Portland in one defensive combination tonight, while Larry Archambeault and Pat Wilson will be the other defense pair.

In the attacking department, Scotty Mair, Ken Schultz, Frank and Dan Porteous, Winn Mousseau, Joe Cinman, Red Raney and Bob Walton will see heavy duty.

Yankee Rauch Leads Georgia Against Terps

Special Dispatch to The Post

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 15.—An iron-armed, 20-year-old who played high school football within hitchhiking distance of the University of Maryland, will lead Georgia against the Terps in the Jacksonville 'Gator Bowl on New Year's Day.

He's Johnny Rauch, who completed 96 passes this season to stand fourth among all-time college passers. And there was a good reason that Maryland observers didn't spot him. For at Yeadon, (Pa.) High in the Philadelphia suburbs, Fauch was an ordinary fullback—so ordinary that he made only third-string all-country selections.

Yet the quiet Pennsylvanian stepped into the regular signal-calling job under Wally Butts as a freshman an dit was then that Butts, who speaks rarely and unenthusiastically, predicted that R auch would make All-American some day.

LAST YEAR Rauch quarterbacked in the backfield with Charley Trippi as the Bulldogs went undefeated and topped North Carolina, 20-10, in the Sugar Bowl.

The esteem in which local railbirds held the youngster was demonstrated when he ran a dead heat with Trippi for most valuable player in city-wide balloting.

Although he dislocated his shoulder in the Georgia Teach game, Rauch is out of a cast and should be at least partially ready to chunk against the Old Liners when the new year tumbles around in Jacksonville.

Sholls 39-17 Victor

Sholls Cafeteria won its third straight game last night by downing F.B.I., 39-17, in a Recreation Department Ladies League contest. GKay Clees was high scorer for Sholls with 14 points.

AAC Decides Brooklyn Is Still Good City

By Spike Claasen

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—All-America Conference owners decided today that the same eight cities which made up the infant profootball circuit in 1947 and attracted 2,028,487 customers were good enough and strong enough for the 1948 campaign.

While the owners spent the day behind locked doors in executive session, rumors were rampant in the hotel corridors that the Brooklyn franchise might be transferred, possibly to Dallas, Tex. But William D. Cox, executive vice president of the grid Dodgers left the session long enough to say that "Brooklyn definitely will be in the Conference next year."

Benjamin F. Lindheimer, a Los Angeles Don official and chairman of the circuit's executive committee, also told reporters that "as of now, Brooklyn has fulfilled every financial obligation and is a member in good standing."

Draft Delayed a Day

Late Saturday the league fathers terminated the Chicago Rocket franchise but said the club would remain in the Illinois City. That left the Brooklyn situation as the No. 1 headache on today's program and the owners approached it with such caution that the annual draft of college talent was delayed until tomorrow.

There had been numerous rumors that the Brooklyn club might be moved and when General Manager Fred Fitzsimmons resigned last week to reenter baseball it was taken for granted in some quarters that a shift was in prospect.

Jonas Ingram, commissioner of the circuit, gave no indication when the new owners of the Chicago franchise would be announced but his office hinted that a deal had been arranged when it said that "R. E. Garn, one of the owners in 1946 and also a member of the new combine," would represent Chicago in tomorrow's draft.

Woodward Five Loses 42-39 Game

Coming from behind in the second half, Montgomery Junior College cagemen yesterday nosed out Woodward Prep, 42-39, at Leland Junior High gym. Bernie Wolf, former Roosevelt star, brought his point total for four games to 79 with 20 points against Prep.

Mont. J. C.	G	FG	FP	F	Woodward	G	FG	FP	F
Cranina,f	1	0	2	2	Daly,f	4	0	1	8
Bast,f	2	0	0	4	Sipple,f	9	1	2	19
Dean,f	3	1	0	6	Bouchard,f	1	1	1	3
F'ster,f	0	0	0	0	K'knecht,c	2	2	2	6
Orlove,f	1	0	0	2	Martin,g	6	1	2	13
Wolf,c	8	4	4	20	Tanner,g	3	0	1	4
Smith,c	0	0	1	0					
Crichton,g	3	1	1	7	Totals	17	5	10	35
Palmer,g	1	0	1	2					
Cwenland,g	0	0	0	0					
Totals	19	6	10	43					

Score at half—Woodward, 25-19. Referee—Fyalk.

Williams-Montgomery Bout Is Postponed

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—The world lightweight title bout between Champion Ike Williams of Trenton, N. J., and Bob Montgomery of Philadelphia, originally scheduled at Madison Square Garden January 16, was postponed today until February 20 at the titleholder's request.

'47 Happenings . . .

Oddity Title Goes to 7-6 Ohio Victory

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 (AP).—Ohio State's 7-6 victory over Northwestern, engineered some three minutes after the final gun, was considered the principal oddity of the 1947 football season by coaches, athletic directors and writers answering an Associated Press poll.

A fourth down Ohio State forward pass from Northwestern's 7 was blocked and hauled down by the enemy as the game apparently ended. The field was flooded by fans and bands while the officials tooted for attention. Northwestern had a twelfth man on the field and the play was called back for infliction of a 5-yard penalty to the Northwestern 2 from where the Ohio quarterback threw a touchdown pass into the end zone to Jim Clark.

Twice Ohio State got chances to break the tie by booting the extra point. On the first try which missed, Northwestern was offside. The second was good and it was 7-6 final win for Ohio in the wildest finish of the year.

Buried in the early season confusion was a September 27 night game incident in a Richmond - Washington and Lee battle.

Brian Bell, the Washington and Lee fullback, took a kick-off and ran 94 yards for a score that eventually won the ball game. As he raced past his own 40-yard stripe with a single blocker in front of him, two Richmond tacklers closed in on him. As they were about to go after Bell, a Richmond newspaper photographer shot off a flash bulb to get an action picture.

THE TWO Richmond defenders, apparently blinded by the flash, went after the blocker, Mike Boyda, nailing him to the turf, while Bell was left with a clear field.

Len Booth of the Washington and Lee News Bureau says his school's athletic council is awarding a monogram to the photographer as their "star" of the Richmond game.

Fans at the Louisiana State-Mississippi game got a boot out of the oddity contribution by Y. A. Tittle of LSU intercepting a pass from Charlie Conerly as Barney Poole lunged for the ball, Tittle found himself with the ball but no belt. He ran up the field, holding his pants with one hand and the ball with the other.

Three sets of identical twins played for the Culver Military Academy at one time and a 120-pound girl, Frankie Groves, played a high school game at Stinnett, Tex.

Stray dogs ruffled the officials' dignity at Cornell and a jack rabbit had to be ejected from a Thanksgiving Day clash between Utah and Utah State. Some 78,000 fans at Franklin Field waited with wonder while a wobbly gentleman held up the kick-off before the Army-Penn game, looking for a misplaced friend in midfield.

Eastern Upsets Devitt, 53 to 35

Eastern High defeated Devitt Prep, 53 to 35, in a basketball game yesterday afternoon on the Eastern court. Joe Delisi of Devitt was high point man with 12 to 10 for Francis Wesley of Eastern. Eastern held a lead of 29-15 at halftime.

Eastern	G	FG	FP	F	Devitt	G	FG	FP	F
DiGlorg,f	0	1	2	1	Lee,f	2	4	5	8
Lemon,f	1	0	1	2	Gough,f	1	0	4	2
Scott,f	2	0	2	4	Delisi,f	4	4	4	13
Cribbins,f	1	0	0	2	Mahanney,f	1	2	2	4
Kalles,f	1	1	2	3	Dotlort,f	0	1	2	1
M'reiman,f	1	0	1	2	Rhodes,c	1	0	1	2
J.Brown,c	2	0	1	4	McKay,g	1	3	4	5
Graves,c	3	0	2	6	Thompson,g	0	1	1	1
Utley,c	0	2	2	2					
Wharam,c	2	0	1	4	Totals	9	17	21	38
W.Brown,g	3	2	1	8					
Barnett,g	2	1	1	5					
Wesley,g	4	2	2	10					
Totals	24	11	18	53					

Score at halftime, 29-14. Eastern. Referee—Latona and Dryer.

'Skin Season Tickets Go To 'Experts'

By Bus Ham
Post Reporter

Another Pick-the-Winner football contest will be conducted by The Washington Post on bowl games, large and small, New Year's Day.

This contest will be conducted on the same basis as the one held during the past season in which 225,175 football fans participated.

Two season tickets to all home games of the Washington Redskins for next season will be awarded to the winner of the contest.

16 Games in Contest

If there is a tie for first place, all persons sharing in the tie will receive two Redskin season tickets.

Sixteen games will be included in the contest.

There will be the long-established bowls, of course, such as the Rose, Sugar, Cotton, Orange and Shrine game, plus the Sun, Delta, Dixie, Gator, Raisin, Salad, Tangerine, Cigar, Pineapple, Harbor and Vulcan bowls.

Some of the games in the contest match teams that are not well known outside of their own areas. To acquaint football fans with such teams, The Washington Post will carry daily stories on the minor teams as well as the big fellows.

Season records also will be run on each and every one of these bowl teams.

Blank Appears Later

It will be advisable for contest entrants to follow these stories daily in order to evaluate each team's chances.

The contest blank will not be published the first time until a later date so that entrants will have time in which to familiarize themselves with the various teams before filling out the blank.

Games in the contest, all on January 1, are:

JANUARY 1

ROSE BOWL, Pasadena, Calif.—Michigan (9-0-0) vs. Southern California (7-1-1).

SUGAR BOWL, New Orleans, La.—Alabama (8-2-0) vs. Texas (9-1-0).

COTTON BOWL, Dallas, Tex.—Southern Methodist (9-0-1) vs. Penn State (9-0-0).

ORANGE BOWL, Miami, Fla.—Kansas (8-0-2) vs. Georgia Tech (9-1-0).

SUN BOWL, El Paso, Tex.—Texas Tech (6-4-0) vs. Miami (Ohio) (8-0-1).

DELTA BOWL, Memphis, Tenn.—Mississippi (8-2-0) vs. Texas Christian (4-4-2).

DIXIE BOWL, Birmingham, Ala.—William and Mary (9-1-0) vs. Arkansas (5-4-1).

'GATOR BOWL, Jacksonville, Fla.—Maryland (7-2-1) vs. Georgia (7-4-0).

RAISIN BOWL, Fresno, Calif.—College of Pacific (8-1-0) vs. Wichita (7-2-0).

SALAD BOWL, Phoenix, Ariz.—North Texas (10-1-0) vs. Nevada (8-2-0).

TANGERINE BOWL, Orlando, Fla.—Catawba (10-1-0) vs. Marshall (9-2-0).

PINEAPPLE BOWL, Honolulu—Hawaii (6-3-0) vs. Redlands (6-2-0).

SHRINE GAME, San Francisco, Calif.—Eastern All-Stars vs. Western All-Stars.

HARBOR BOWL, San Diego, Calif.—San Diego State (7-2-1) vs. Hardin-Simmons (6-3-0).

VULCAN BOWL, Birmingham, Ala.—Wilberforce (10-1) vs. Grambling (10-1).

CIGAR BOWL, Tampa, Fla.—West Chester Teachers (9-0-0) vs. Missouri Valley (10-0-0).

Carnera, Gelento Head Mat Program

Primo Carnera will tackle Don Lee and Tony Galento faces Frank Hewitt in co-feature matches tomorrow night at Turner's Arena.

The supporting card will include Nanjo Singh versus Phil Gruber; Jacques LeClair against Henry Finkelstein and Ken Acler engaging Sheik Abed.

Sammy Is Sorry . . .

'Skins Say Farewell in Spirit Of Kindness and Optimism

By Bill Burnett
Post Reporter

ON A HOPEFUL NOTE and Sammy Baugh's remark—"I'm sorry we had to lose eight games this season"—the Washington Redskins officially disbanded yesterday after a luncheon at the Statler Hotel.

There were no recriminations for the worst season in Redskins history. A 40-13 thumping of Boston in the finale Sunday left everybody in a good mood and straining toward next year.

"I haven't got long to play," said Baugh, speaking to every member of the Redskins except Dick Todd, who had flown to Texas immediately after Sunday's game. "I'd like to play on at least one more championship team before I quit."

Mr. Redskin, sporting a pre-Christmas tie, had a kind word for one and all. He called the present Redskin backs and ends the best ever, complimented the line on its improvement, expressed regret Jim Youel got to play so little, and gave oral orchids to Coach Turk Edwards.

Midway of Owner George Marshall's talk on civic responsibility and his boast that a new season ticket order had been received from a fan "whose wife's cousin married Jim Peebles," the unsquelchable Jim Castiglia broke in.

"I want to thank the Redskins," he said, "for giving me a chance to prove I can play football. There was a little doubt in a couple of cities. I'm just sorry it took me six years in this racket—I mean pro football—to get to the Redskins from Georgetown — and then found them close to the bottom."

Dr. Robert E. Moran, team physical who is a plastic surgeon, was kidded about his nose-revising tactics and promptly

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Redskin Records

The Washington Redskins broke or tied their own (not league) records as follows during the 1947 season:

INDIVIDUAL SEASON

Most Points—Dick Poillon, 85. (Andy Farkas, 68 in 1939.)

Most Extra Points—Dick Poillon, 37. (Joe Aguirre, 23, in 1945.)

Most Passes Caught—Bob Nussbaumer, 47. (Steve Bagarus, 35, in 1945.)

Most Passes Thrown—Baugh, 354. (Baugh, 260, in 1943.)

Most Passes Completed—Baugh, 210. (Baugh, 149, in 1943.)

Most Yardage on Passes—Baugh, 2935. (Baugh, 1953, in 1943.)

Most Touchdown Passes—Baugh, 25. (Baugh, 24, in 1943.)

INDIVIDUAL GAME

Most Passes Caught—Saenz, 9, versus Bears. (Moore, 7, in 1943 vs. Brooklyn.)

Most Passes Thrown—Baugh, 41, vs. Yanks; 39, vs. Packers. (Baugh, 35, vs. Giants in 1944.)

TIED

Most Touchdowns—Taylor, 3, vs. Eagles. (Held by five players.)

Most Extra Points—Dick Poillon, 7, vs. Eagles. (Riley Smith vs. Giants in 1937.)

Most Passes Completed—Baugh, 25, vs. Cardinals and Yanks. (Baugh, vs. Brooklyn in 1943.)

TEAM SEASON

Most Points—295 (242 in 1939).
Most Touchdown Passes—33 (24 in 1943).
Most First Downs—242 (154 in 1945).
Most Yards Passing—3336 (2021 in 1944).
Most Total Yards—4679 (3549 in 1945).
Most Passes Thrown—416 (390 in 1944).
Most Passes Completed—231 (170 in 1944).
Most Yards Allowed—4033 (2847 in 1940).
Most Passes by Opponent—28 (243 in 1939).
Most Passes Opponent Completed—146 (125 in 1940).
Most Points Allowed—367 (191 in 1946).

TEAM GAME

Most Yards Gained—574, vs. Yanks (507, vs. Cards, 1943).
Most Yards Passing—411, vs. Bears (376, vs. Brooklyn, 1943).
Most First Downs—28, vs. Yanks and others (22, vs. Steelers, 1943).
Least Yards Rushing—14, vs. Eagles (19, vs. Brooklyn, 1940).
Most Passes Completed—26, vs. Bears (25, [illegible] 1943).
Most Points Allowed—56, vs. Bears (37, vs. [illegible] 1944).
Most Yards Yielded—486, vs. Bears (407, vs. Rams, 1944).
Most Yards Allowed Passing—320, vs. Bears (319, vs. Eagles, 1944).
Most First Downs Allowed—26, vs. Bears and Eagles (21, vs. Rams, 1944).

TIED

Most Touchdown Passes—6, vs. Cardinals (8, vs. Brooklyn, 1943).

Gritty and Good

Boys From the South Are Saying Kozar Is Bound to Make the Grade With Nats

New Orleans, La., Dec. 15.—A half dozen years ago in Pittsburgh, a rugged youngster named Al Kozar had finished his high school athletic career with all sorts of letters for football and basketball, and was wondering what to do with himself.

A friend suggested he pick up a few summer dollars playing baseball, but Al said: "Heck, I never have played baseball, to speak of, except when I was a kid. Didn't even go out for the high school baseball team."

But the friend urged him to try and Al, because he was a red-blooded American boy, not only wanted to keep active, but he took to baseball as readily as he had to other sports.

It wasn't long until Kozar found himself called for spring practice by the Boston Red Sox, mother team of the minor league clubs he had played with, after being signed by a scout who saw him playing semipro ball on the sandlots of Pittsburgh.

By that time Kozar was 23 years of age, weighed 185 pounds and stood nearly 6 feet tall. And he had made an impressive showing as an infielder with the Scranton team in the Eastern League where he batted .316 and drove in 85 runs in 114 games.

It was quite a thing—being called to the training camp of the famous Boston Red Hose. But young Kozar didn't let the good fortune dazzle him.

One look at Bobby Doerr performing around second base and he made up his mind that if he remained with the Sox, he'd spend a very dull summer on the bench.

So then Joe Cronin mentioned that the New Orleans Pelicans, who had a working agreement with the Red Sox, were looking for a second baseman.

Bad luck was waiting for him the first week he reported to the Pelicans. The season had just opened and Kozar, entering into the spirit of play with everything he had, pulled up with a painful charleyhorse.

But the Pels had no other second-sacker, and what does this stout-hearted young Pittsburgher do but insist on staying in the game.

He played all season with a sore leg. At times his teammates wondered how he stood the pain. But he not only stood it, he hit .340 and made some stops and throws that stamped him as "one of the best young players ever to break into the Southern League."

Oldtimers around here size Kozar up this way: He's good enough to field with the best in the major leagues right now; he's gritty and baseball smart; he hit .340 on one leg, you might say, in this league and should do all right in the big leagues.

In fact, they (including the writer) don't see how Kozar can miss making good next season in his first year in the big leagues with the Washington Senators, who acquired him from the Red Sox in the Stan Spence deal.

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DEAR FOLKS:

The ability of the local management to keep the running surface here in usable shape in winter sometimes is amazing to the layman. No track in this country has had more experience at this art. There are tricks in all trades and the local group has learned a lot through experience. The oval has high percentage of clay content and very little sand. Hence, if the surface freezes after a heavy rain, it is possible to break up the lumps on top and have a fast (if frozen) strip. If the clay fails to freeze through, however, sand and water would make for a substance as durable as concrete. Last week, there was a steady drizzle here that lasted into the night and the track was never worse than "good" for the next day's show. Many wondered how come? Here's what happened. Leeds Riely, who has to do with ordering the style of manicuring for the track, had intended to get the tractors out and harrow the surface throughout the night. But an hour after the last race, a film of ice appeared over the track. Here's where ingenuity came into play. Riely ordered the tractors to stay off the track and didn't bring them into action until the next morning. Why? Because the thin ice topping proved a shield for the surface and what rain fell, rolled off. See you on the rail—BILL.

1—Fast Talk, Hary Aethel, Aiken.
2—Balloon, Boy Larkmead, Mr. Elmer.
3—Let 'Em Wander, Glory Girl, Roger's Moose.
4—White Ford, Look Big, Stormy Night.
5—Flying Raid, Half Shot, Scotch Sand.
6—Mindanao, Endie Jane, Weary Load.
7—Jab Me, Sincon, Gallant Doc.
8—Comedy Player, Smiling Lass, Army Belle.

Best bet—FLYING RAID.

Charles Town

FIRST RACE—Charles Town course; purse, $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wt.	Odds
1	Wild Call (Bush)	110	10-1
2	She's Right (Carrillo)	112	12-1
3	Aiken (Cardosa)	115	6-1
4	Don Lists (Bartee)	115	8-1
5	Rafer Aethel (Brady)	110	2-1
6	Portland Belle (Baird)	112	6-1
7	Patrician (Arduini)	114	4-1
8	Fast Talk (Tammaro)	114	3-1
9	Mr. Elmer (no boy)	112	10-1
10	Scuttle Ship (Holland)	112	12-1
11	One Flag (no boy)	112	12-1
12	Maryland Morn (Grant)	112	6-1
13	Way Lass (Hunter)	115	15-1
14	Sunday Knight (Clark)	110	6-1

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Arg Mike (Baird)	122	5-1
2	Marsenden (Hunter)	114	3-1
3	Bayletis (Snyder)	111	4-1
4	Balloon (Barbo)	119	3-1
5	Lake Rid (Weber)	115	6-1
6	Tryle (no boy)	115	6-1
7	Sunset Boy (Besten)	115	12-1
8	Mr. Elmer (Hallenger)	115	8-1
9	Boy Larkmead (Tammaro)	112	20-
10	Star Timber (Clark)	110	20-1
11	San Angelo (no boy)	115	20-1
13	Gradea (Weber)	115	8-1
13	Pete's Gold (Brady)	115	6-1
14	Duke Power (Arduini)	115	8-1

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; allowances; 3-year-olds.

1	Navigator (Carrillo)	113	6-1
2	Glory Girl (Tammaro)	116	3-1
3	Little Arab (Barao)	113	20-1
4	War Sir (no boy)	113	10-1
5	Flashy Tip (Pantone)	113	6-1
6	Christmas (Arduini)	116	8-1
7	Call Back (no boy)	110	6-1
8	Let 'Em Wander (Hallenger)	114	3-1
9	Roger's Moose (Bush)	119	4-1
10	Tatting (Trunchka)	113	4-1
11	Sunday (Baird)	110	10-1
12	Vinlia Kiev (no boy)	113	20-1
13	Perth Jr. (Brady)	111	8-1
14	Don of Reno (no boy)	113	20-1

FOURTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse, $1000; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Gent O'Day (no boy)	112	8-1
2	White Ford (Cardosa)	112	3-1
3	Wild Knight (Sarno)	116	3-1
4	Stormy Night (no boy)	112	6-1
5	Cornelia Belle (McTague)	113	10-1
6	Buskeye (Baird)	112	6-1
7	Mat Hampton (Carrillo)	112	15-1
8	Look Big (Barnes)	112	4-1
9	The General (Drury)	107	12-1
10	My Faith (Baird)	112	4-1
11	Gambling Andy (Arduini)	112	4-1
12	Miss Stevie (Arduini)	116	4-1
13	Pontchartrain (Cisneros)	112	3-1
14	Claire White (no boy)	104	10-1

FIFTH RACE—Four and one half furlongs; purse, $1000; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

1	Knight's Hurry (Arduini)	109	6-1
2	Flying Maid (Baird)	109	5-1
3	Bachelor Belle (Cardosa)	113	4-1
4	Sole Sette Jo (Snyder)	104	10-1
5	Rush Order (Pantone)	112	3-1
6	Half Shot (Scopp)	109	4-1
7	Talcum Spray (Brady)	104	6-1
8	Scotch Sand (Tammaro)	112	8-1
9	Miss Prime (Brady)	104	20-1
10	Tri Cross (Clark)	104	20-1
11	†Asaider (Baird)	109	8-5

†Stevens Stable entry.

SIXTH RACE—Six and one half furlongs; purse, $1,200; for 3-year-olds up; allowances.

1	Royal Step (Holland)	113	8-1
2	Weary Load (Bush)	113	8-1
3	Sunny River (Arduini)	113	8-1
4	Mindanao (Cardosa)	113	3-1
5	Blue Agrit (Snyder)	107	8-1
6	Endie Jane (Gonsales)	118	4-1
7	Seattle Mate (Trunchka)	113	10-1
8	Fly Made (Cardosa)	113	6-1
9	White Easter (Brady)	110	4-1
10	Sweet Money (Hallenger)	110	15-1
11	Welfret (no boy)	113	20-1
12	Miss Creek (no boy)	113	20-1
13	Hotenah (Carrillo)	113	20-1
14	Woodie (Tammaro)	118	6-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one eighth miles; purse, $1,200; for 3-year-olds; claiming.

1	Gallant Doc (Arduini)	115	6-1
2	Jab Me (Grizzo)	118	4-1
3	Sincon (Cardosa)	114	8-2
4	Crater Lake (Trunchka)	111	12-1
5	Robert E. Lee (Tammaro)	115	6-1
6	Sil Air (no boy)	111	20-1
7	Mihill D. (Baird)	118	8-1
8	Dorothy T (Cardosa)	113	6-1
9	Peace Pact (Arduini)	118	6-1
10	Winged Heels (Tammaro)	120	6-
11	Adesta (Snyder)	109	15-1
12	Balbar (Tammaro)	112	8-1
13	Nythman (Trunchka)	115	6-1
14	Genial Sam S. (Foster)	110	6-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one sixteenth miles; purse, $1,200; allowances; for 3-year-olds up.

1	Outcome (O'Brien)	114	6-1
2	Our Bid (Arduini)	117	6-1
3	Fieldfare (Holland)	114	20-1
4	Brest (Trunchka)	118	4-1
5	Woodacot (Baird)	120	4-1
6	Smiling Lass (Hunsaer)	112	4-1
7	Omaha Mike (Arduini)	120	4-1
8	French Nina (Carrillo)	114	20-1
9	Army Belle (Lauer)	109	4-1
10	Comedy Player (W. Miller)	118	6-1
11	Butler's Pride (no boy)	109	15-1
12	Electron (Boston)	109	15-1
13	Dr. Johnson (G. Miller)	120	15-1
14	Abiel (Cardosa)	117	8-1

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AT GULFSTREAM

1—Well Informed, My Esau, El Ocano.
2—Natch, Heavy, Willing Hand.
3—DOMBAT, Rose Toreador, Fearless Ken.
4—One Eight, Sonny Boy, Award.
5—Sylvia Dear, Shifty Mac, Green Crystal.
6—Blaze Fire, Brown's Ace, Blue Rennet.
7—Cadence, I Conquer, Rose Champion.
8—Laughing Break, Kranvestas, Orkaday.

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Fast Talk, Portland Belle, She's Right.
2—Roy Larkmead, Art Blue, Stetson.
3—Little Arab, Gradea, Navigator.
4—Wild Knight, Look Big.
5—Flying Raid, Half Shot, Scotch Sand.
6—Mindanao, Royal Step, Endie Jane.
7—JAB ME, Robert E. Lee, Gallant Doc.
8—Woodie, Omaha, Abiel.

AT FAIR GROUNDS

1—Gay Break Thin, Gaspe Harbor.
2—Count Favor, Start of Fancy, Answer.
3—Alison, Lurex, The Spectator.
4—I LOVE REDDIE, Mister Sandy, Red Tar.
5—Puffer, Monongalia, Hot Hickory.
6—Four Brothers, Artillery Bob, Flying Comic.
7—Cohelion, Strayer, Tarantulet.
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Majeto Takes 3d Place in Field of 7

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 15. The fightin' and a fuedin' between the two best mares here was renewed for the third time today and the result was the same—a victory for G. Y. Booker's Lawless Miss over H. N. Warren's Annie's Dream.

The Virginia owned horses vied in the Art Brown Purse at 120 feet more than six furlongs and Lawless Miss carried 119 pounds, spotting her rival six pounds and winning by a neck margin.

Two lengths back came S. B. Webb's Majeto to be third in the field of seven.

With Jockey Emilo Carrillo up, Lawless Miss was clocked in 1:15 4/5 for the sprint route over a track slightly on the dull side as the result of a light drizzle that began before the fifth race.

The crowd had confidence in Lawless Miss' ability to give weight and collected a $4 win mutuel.

Annie's Dream, winner of a short sprint here last Saturday, had her usual early lick and raced O. D. Shank, jr.'s, Belstan into defeat in the first half mile while saving ground. G. C. Collins' Local Band then moved up to get into the forward part of the battle.

Lawless Miss had been rated early and then began her winning move on the extreme outside.

She turned for home a good four lngths off her flying, front-running rival.

In the final drive Jockey Jimmy Baird did everything in the book to keep Annie going but she was unequal to the task of resisting Lawless Miss and the latter was a going-away winner.

The victory was the seventh of the year for Lawless Miss who has been out for serious action 20 times.

The daily double on the 2 and 4 combination paid $85.60.

Mrs. R. C. Hall's Army Nurse, making her turf debut despite her five years of life, was a driving winner of the first race at a $7 mutuel while under the handling of Jockey Ray Arduini.

Apprentice Bobby Drury brought M. A. Murphy's Fair Bid along in time to take second event at a $9 pay-off.

Disqualification In 7th Race

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 16 (AP).—A disqualification marked the seventh race. L. G. Boyce's Sebo was the winner at $4.80.

E. E. Westenberger's Secret Knight was second, but swerved into horses in the tight final battle for which he was taken down and placed fourth. John Foster's Karakal was judged second with Mrs. L. A. Starling's Strolling Don moving into third money.

Apprentice J. Lauer, who rode Secret Knight was suspended for the remainder of the meeting.

Sherwood Edges N. T. S., 40 to 37

Trailing by 10 points in the first quarter, Sherwood High rallied to defeat National Training School, 40-37, yesterday on the NTS court.

NTS led, 21-20, at halftime.

N. T. S.	G	FG	P
Vick, f	4	4	12
Pasko, f	0	0	0
Conner, f	0	1	1
Gnoros, c	0	0	0
Eyon, c	8	2	18
Walker, g	1	0	2
Cons, g	1	0	2
Totals	14	7	37

Sherwood	G	FG	P
Stanton, f	2	1	5
Derrick, f	1	0	2
Conner, f	6	0	12
Cartrell, f	2	0	4
Bond, c	5	0	10
McNeily, c	0	0	0
Brooks, g	0	0	0
Brady, g	2	2	6
Totals	18	4	40

Score at halftime, 21-20, N. T. S.

Fair Grounds

1—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Primus	106	Letter V. 114
Stocket Trace	111	Break Thru 117
Magic Touch	111	Guystance 102
Lochlee	111	Super Marine 108
Chips	106	

2—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Stork of Peace	114	Sunnys Money 106
Count Foray	111	Fleet Imp 111
Tokyo Pony	105	Dick Manners 108
Auditor	109	Eilasib 98

3—1 1/16; $1200; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Sir Like	109	The Squire 112
Little Serf	109	Marys Best 98
Oyster Loaf	106	Bengal Baby 109
Lovely Joke	102	Easter Laddie 109
Large	104	Crystal Dodger 109
Fly Ball	102	

4—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Happy Jean	106	I Luv Bridge 114
Red Tar	111	Stella Snyder 103
Coronet Star	106	Big Brother 111
Skim	111	

5—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Valdina Lorin	111	Falgone 109
Miss Mary Kay	109	Navigator 114
Dick Bickney	104	Sunstorm 114
Leapolino	103	

6—1 1-70; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Four Feathers	118	Tinys Choice 104
Lens Baby	104	Paulas Star 107
Artillery Bob	116	Flying Comic 113

7—1 1-70; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Great Card	112	Mystic Miss 109
Fighting Mac	110	Random Breeze 107
Kantar Aid	112	Wabash Limited 109
Paddymaker	112	Don Mariner 112
Philip Queen	109	Mint Play 112
Sea Convoy	113	Metaphan 104
Mist	113	

Post Consensus

AT GULFSTREAM

1—El Ocano, Memphian, Pilgrim's Maid.
2—Natch, Heavy, Willing Maid.
3—Combat, Lois Chance, Vip.
4—Friendly Don, One Eight, Sweet Tatters.
5—Hollystrope, Sylvia Dear, Dancing Margot.
6—Blaze Fire, Brown's Ace, Bellwether.
7—Cadence, Equestrienne, Rose Champion.
8—Laughing Break, Rose Are Red, Portal.

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Fast Talk, Maryland Morn, Patrician.
2—Roy Larkmead, Balloon, Myriel.
3—Little Arab, Navigator, Tatting.
4—Miss Stevie, Wild Knight, White Ford.
5—Flying Raid, Scotch Sand, Half Shot.
6—Westie, White Easter, Mindanao.
7—Flying Jab Me, Gallant Doc.
8—COMEDY PLAYER, Our Bid, Smiling Lass.

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Bud Ward's Golf Drives Just 'Too Fast' for Shotgun Blasts

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 15 (AP).—Three members of the Inland Empire Gun Club decided today that Bud Ward hits a golf ball mighty hard.

The gagful knights of Spokane's Athletic Round Table cooked up a stunt which matched Ward, their secretary and former National Amateur golf champion, against three sportsmen armed with shotguns. The plan was to see if the shooters could hit one of Ward's drives.

Standing about 3 feet away from the trio today, Ward hit 10 balls straight away. The result—the gunners missed them all.

Explained Frank Stoop, one of the shotgun isters: "The ball was so far out of range in an instant that we hardly had time to squeeze the trigger."

Charles Town Race Charts

MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1947—By WALTER HAIGHT.
WEATHER CLOUDY, TRACK FAST.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $800. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 1:02. Off at 1:03. Winner, Mrs. R. C. Hall's b. m. (5) by Quaker Brae II—Emergency. Trained by J. C. Orivella. Value to winner, $600. Time, 0:51.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ARMY NURSE	(Arduini)	113	3	3	2½	2½	1½	1nk	$3.50
TIE ME	(Trunchka)	115	2	2	1½	1½	2½	2½	1.70
BARBER BUCK	(Carlson)	118	4	4	3½	3½	3½	3nk	21.90
COUNT MORWICK	(Bush)	118	1	1	4½	4½	4½	4½	6.00
SOHO	(Baird)	115	5	5	5½	5½	5½	5½	11.20
ROYAL SCOTCH	(Carrillo)	115	6	6	6	6	6	6	4.90
MISS TRAMLINE	(Prantino)	115	7	7	7	7	7	7	8.70
THUS USOSS	(Clark)	111	8	8	8	8	8	8	61.00

ARMY NURSE, $7.00, $4.40, $2.80; TIE ME, $3.40, $2.20; BARBER BUCK, $7.40.

SECOND RACE—Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $800. For 2-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 1:30. Off at 1:30. Winner, W. V. Keegan's ch. m. (5) by Psychic Bid—Jane Porter. Trained by C. A. Plant. Value to winner, $600. Time, 0:50.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
FAIR BID	(Drury)	115	4	3	2½	1½	1½	1½	$3.50
LIKEAFLASH	(Foster)	115	7	7	7nk	5½	3½	2½	5.80
PAT HAND	(Barber)	115	6	6	5½	3½	2½	3½	1.70
ELTORHEAD	(Baird)	112	5	5	3½	2½	4nk	4nk	9.40
TACKSET R.	(Bush)	115	3	4	4½	6½	5½	5½	12.10
FROMERS	(O'Brien)	115	2	2	1½	4½	6½	6½	6.30
MARIA LACHESS	(Miller)	110	8	8	8	8	7½	7½	12.00
OUR BOY	(Hummer)	119	1	1	6	7	8	8	13.90

FAIR BID, $3.00, $4.40, $2.60; LIKEAFLASH, $6.80, $3.40; PAT HAND, $3.20.

DAILY DOUBLE—ARMY NURSE AND FAIR BID—PAID $55.60.

THIRD RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1000. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won ridden out; place driving. Went to post at 1:55. Off at 1:56. Winner, Mrs. W. Hazlehurst's br. g. (6) by Thrasonus—Winagin. Trained by W. Hayhurst. Value to winner, $700. Time, 1:55⅘.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
CASOON	(Baird)	116	4	6	7½	5½	3½	2½	2½	$1.60
NORTH SEA	(Bush)	111	1	1	1½	1½	1nk	1nk	2½	4.60
DEAUVILLE BEAU	(Carrillo)	116	5	5	5½	4½	2½	3nk	3½	3.30
STICKY PURSE	(Arduini)	113	8	8	4½	3½	4½	4½	4½	3.60
ROYAL VIEW	(O'Brien)	116	7	3	3½	2½	5½	6½	5½	12.80
MERCHESTON	(Foster)	118	3	4	6½	6½	6½	7½	6½	43.40
PETE JR.	(McNeily)	116	6	2	2½	7½	7½	8	7½	6.70
INDIAN CHIEF	(Pantone)	113	2	7	8	8	8	5	8	47.40

CASOON, $5.20, $4.40, $3.80; NORTH SEA, $7.20, $4.40; DEAUVILLE BEAU, $3.80.

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1000. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:23. Off at 3:23. Winner, E. G. Hoffman's br. g. (7) by General Baldsman—Starirea. Trained by E. G. Hoffman. Value to winner, $700. Time, 1:27⅘.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SPICA	(Boston)	115	6	6	5½	5½	5½	3½	1½	$10.50
J. LEE	(Bush)	118	4	4	7½	6½	6½	5½	2½	46.20
MIDNIGHT	(Cardosa)	118	1	1	1½	1½	1½	2½	3nk	3.30
THE KNIGHTS	(Baird)	115	3	3	2½	2½	2½	4½	4½	1.90
ARDASHER	(Arduini)	115	4	7	8	8	7½	6½	5½	2.40
WALDINA GOBLIN	(Truschka)	115	8	2	4½	4½	4½	7½	6½	23.40
HAIR CUT	(Brady)	115	2	8	6½	7½	8	8	7	30.30
WHITE ROCKET	(Pantone)	118	7	5	3½	3½	3½	2nd	8	5.30

SPICA, $22.60, $10.40, $6.20; J. LEE, $42.30, $18.80; MIDNIGHT, $7.00.

FIFTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $1000. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:50. Off at 2:50½. Winner, Mrs. R. M. Goldstrohm's ch. g. (5) by Strolling Player—Perdia. Trained by A. Goldstrohm. Value to winner, $700. Time, 1:17.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
POST BOY	(Bush)	115	2	1	1½	1½	1½	1½	1nk	$3.60
GREY PRINCE	(Weber)	120	5	2	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	6.30
BIG MOOSE	(Gonsales)	114	3	3	3½	3½	3½	3½	3½	11.60
RUN BUD RUN	(Drury)	107	1	5	5½	5½	5½	4½	4½	21.00
TITIAN	(Truschka)	112	6	4	4½	4½	4½	5½	5½	2.60
DOWNEY M.	(Arduini)	117	4	6	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	14.80
MISS PRIME	(Brady)	110	7	7	7½	7½	7½	7½	7½	1.90
MISS ECONOMY	(Hallenger)	116	8	8	8½	8	8	8	8	69.30

POST BOY, $12.00, $6.20, $5.00; GREY PRINCE, $6.40, $4.80; BIG MOOSE, $6.80.

SIXTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $1200. For 3-year-olds and up; allowances. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:18. Off at 3:18½. Winner, G. Y. Booker's b. f. (4) by Gallahadion—Charlotte Dear. Trained by G. Y. Booker. Value to winner, $650. Time, 1:18⅘.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
LAWLESS MISS	(Carrillo)	119	6	4	4½	4½	4½	2½	1nk	$1.00
ANNIE'S DREAM	(Baird)	113	3	1	1hd	1hd	1½	1½	2nk	2.80
MAJETO	(Bush)	113	7	5	5½	5½	3½	3½	3½	12.60
HECTIC HOUR	(Bush)	113	5	6	6½	6½	6½	6½	4½	23.90
LOCAL BAND	(Hummer)	119	2	3	2½	3½	2½	2½	5½	12.60
BELSTAN	(Cardosa)	113	1	2	3½	2½	3½	3½	6½	4.50
FLASH ANNA	(Brady)	110	4	7	7	7	7	7	7	88.60

LAWLESS MISS, $4.00, $2.80, $2.20; ANNIE'S DREAM, $3.00, $2.20; MAJETO, $3.20.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1200. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:48. Off at 3:48. Winner, L. O. Boyce's br. (6) by Impound—Bavardia. Trained by L. O. Boyce. Value to winner, $800. Time, 1:52⅘.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SEBO	(Boston)	112	4	5	4½	3½	2½	1½	1½	$1.40
†SECRET KNIGHT	(Lauer)	109	7	7	7½	6½	5½	3½	2nd	16.40
KARAKAL	(Carrillo)	115	5	4	3½	2½	3½	4½	3nk	5.20
STROLLING DON	(Carlson)	117	3	3	1½	1½	2½	2½	4½	3.80
BROILER	(G. Miller)	116	6	6	6½	7	7	6½	5½	38.80
VERMARE SUN	(Acosta)	115	8	8	8	8	8	8	6	4.50
TEASE PRETTY	(McGowan)	110	2	2	2½	4½	Lost rider			34.80
VALIANT DOT	(Baird)	113	1	1	Raced					10.40

†Disqualified and placed fourth.

SEBO, $4.80, $3.00, $3.00; KARAKAL, $6.80, $4.80; STROLLING DON, $3.60.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1200. For 3-year-olds and up; allowances. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:18. Off at 4:18½. Winner, A. C. Cochran's b. g. (6) by Gallant Fox—Deena Shee. Trained by A. C. Cochran. Value to winner, $850. Time, 1:50.

Horse	Jockey	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
GREMLIN	(Baird)	120	5	2	1½	1nk	1½	1½	1½	$9.80
NEW START	(Bush)	112	2	1	1½	1½	1½	1½	2½	7.00
HAIRANETTE	(Carrillo)	112	4	3	2½	2½	2½	2½	3½	5.40
EXPERIMENT	(Arduini)	112	6	3	3½	3½	3½	3½	4½	47.00
DORADA	(McTague)	117	3	4	5	5	5	5½	5½	17.80
LICTOR	(Tammaro)	120	7	6	4½	4½	4½	6	6	5.70
SWING HIGH	(Weber)	113½	4	5	6	6	Fell			22.10
BRAKAGLE MISS	(Grant)	117	1	7	Fell					10.70

GREMLIN, $3.80, $2.60, $2.20; NEW START, $4.60, $2.60; HAIRANETTE, $2.60.

Gulfstream

1—¾; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Peg	104	Graymar Bonnie 102
Memphian	116	Jacuka 116
Dave's Pal	114	Pilgrim Maid 109
Sergeant Bill	114	Sgt. Rice 109
Dale Miedie	109	El Ocano 114
Well Informed	110	Sky Road 107
Allendale	109	Sole Shellie 107
My Zaza	108	Panar Orier 107

2—1 1/16; $2600; maiden 2-year-old fillies.

Natch	113	Airsie 118
Harriet M.	113	Little Casino 118
Willing Hand	118	Shelley B. 118
Alma's Pet	113	Teasey 118
Hi Fi	118	Seven Grand 113

3—¾; $2700; maiden 3-year-olds up.

Combat	120	Fleet Lady 117
War Idol	120	Weak Effort 122
Scotch Double	120	Priam 117
Bomb Command	115	Millstep 117
Vip	120	Reno Tuxedor 122
Fearless Ken	120	Tiger Skin 122
Natural Chance	112	Marquelay 120
Navegador	115	Sweet Sweet 117

4—¾; $2800; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Shirt Band	115	Cardigan 113
Sweet Tatters	109	One Eight 114
Tommy Rennard	115	Dear Mom 103
Mint O' Morn	115	Friendly Don 111
Mountain Lion	118	Lido Way 118
Florist	115	
Gaspe's Pride	107	

5—¾; $3000; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Blade G.	110	Sylvia Dear 105
Heliotrope	113	Even Star 110
Shifty Mac	110	Dancing Margot 108
Green Crystal	109	

6—1 1/16; $3500; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

†Rustle Broom	107	Annieonsquotch 107
Free as Air	108	Stage Fire 116
Blade Jack	103	Count Shark 116
†Donna's Ace	103	Bellwether 121

†A. B. and Mrs. T. Christopher entry.

7—1 1/16; $2600; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Rose Canyon	112	Aero Jack 115
Shifty Sue	112	Stefan 117
High Peak	112	Rosemere Dee 101
Cadence	114	Too Secret 110
Journal	116	I Conquer 116
Swing High	107	Ironsweep 106
Secret	99	Decouraze 115

1—¾; $2400; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Ebbtide	108	(E. J. Knapp)... 4.80 3.20 2.40
Pharsandia	103	(M. Featherston) 8.00 3.80
Holiday Humor	109	(W. M. Cook) 7.60
Cambridge Pair, Ariel Pigeon, Regularity, Rockwood Bettie, Singsong, Together, Tiara V., Gay Minchiel, Mefannin also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.		

2—½; $2400; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Radio Gunner, 114 (Rikhard)		17.80 7.10 3.60
Lady Apple, 111 (C. Errico)		4.60 2.60
Tamble, 109 (F. Gifford)		2.60
Court Case, Poiseur, Belle Cole, Song o' War, Gay Tulip, One Two Two, Gwennie's Pal also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.		

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $95.70

3—⅝; $2800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Pilate's Kiss, 109 (Cook)		6.80 3.80 3.10
Mama Fuja, 111 (Munden)		7.20 5.80
Listen Tiger, 107 (Martens)		6.50
Justa Kiss, Manadrom, Count J. r., Don Miller, Mighty Master, Wrendi, Breadloom also ran. Time, 1:04⅘.		

4—¼; $3000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Pompeian Red, 108 (Fiorito's)		21.00 8.20 4.80
Master Mind, 113 (Stout)		3.60 3.20
Clever

SKINS—From Page 18

Redskins Say Farewell

revealed a new patient. He's Halfback Bob Nussbaumer, who'll have his twisted nose worked on today.

BESIDES BAUGH'S lifetime records, which climbed each time he passed this season, the Redskins smashed a total of 36 records and tied four others as they finished next to last in Eastern Division standing.

Four league marks were beaten by the team and Baugh hung up three other league marks for the season. In total yardage (4679), yards passing (3336), passes completed (231) and passes thrown (416) the 'Skins topped previous N. F. L. standards. The Chicago Bears, however, grabbed the total yardage title with 5033.

Baugh threw more passes (354), completed more passes (210) and gained more yards (2938) than have been recorded in the league before.

Court League Starts

The Georgetown Vets and N.W. Merchants will play the opening game of the South Atlantic Unlimited Basketball League season Monday at 8:30 p. m. on the Turner's Arena floor.

COUNCIL—From Page 1

Big 4 Parley Ends in Failure

lem the ministers themselves found impossible.

Occupations Must Continue

The Big Four will now go home with the knowledge that the occupation of Germany and Austria will continue for some time to come and that the present heavily guarded boundaries between the occupation zones will be maintained.

Until some future session, when agreement is reached on German political and economic unity, the United States and Great Britain will work for the reconstruction of their bizonal area so that it can take its place in the Marshall Plan for European reconstruction.

Present conditions will continue in the Soviet zone. Allied troops will remain in Austria.

The break-up of this session, foreseen now for some time, does not necessarily mean there will be no future conference. On the contrary, one is likely to be held in the coming year, perhaps in the summer. It is generally understood here that progress at this time was impossible because of the major conflict involved in the Marshall Plan and the Soviet hostility to the plan's recovery program.

Deadlocked on Germany

The four powers hoped for the political and economic unification of Germany, but the west wanted it only at terms that would aid the recovery program and the Soviet delegation wanted it only on terms that would wreck it.

For this reason the ministers never really got down to business and, when no concessions of the reparations issue were made, it became clear there was no use going on.

Consequently, only two positive decisions were taken here. One will permit Pakistan to attend a peace conference for Germany. The other will authorize German steel production of 11,500,000 tons a year. The trouble is, both decisions were made on the condition of over-all and final approval of German unity.

This afternoon, Molotov opened a discussion of reparations, with a request that the German people's congress be authorized to send delegates to London. He was quickly opposed by the other three spokesmen, all of whom were aware that the congress was organized and run by the Socialist-Unity Party, the Communist group in the Soviet occupation zone.

Marshall on Reparations

Then came Marshall on reparations. The United States, he said, had hoped for progress on Germany and agreement on a treaty for Austria, but the Soviet reparations demand was "not at all acceptable."

Bidault said he had asked for a study of the whole subject but he doubted whether the Soviet proposal was a basis for solution.

This prompted Molotov to remark that, as far as he was concerned, the French were in complete agreement with the Americans and British.

Bevin said the situation had changed on Friday when the Soviet delegate made his "untrue propaganda accusations" against the United Kingdom. His government, he said, had not made money out of the occupation as Molotov had contended. On the contrary, its occupation had been costly.

He went on to say he could not accept the Soviet plan that would force Germany to pay reparations in current production.

"No economist," he said, "has ever found out how a country without food and raw material could give reparations from current production without outside subsidies."

Marshall Suggests Adjournment

"I must say with a deep feeling of regret," he said, "that our experience in Moscow (last spring) and our experience here—the way we have been treated and accused—makes us wonder, and I will put it no higher than that, as to whether this is the body that will be able to settle the European and German problems."

Marshall then charged Russian plans would have led to "economic serfdom" in Germany, and added:

"It seems impossible at this time to make practical progress. Therefore, I reluctantly conclude that no useful purpose would be served by a debate on the other points on our agenda and I suggest that the Council of Foreign Ministers might now consider adjournment of this session."

It was the first time adjournment had been mentioned, and no one but Marshall was ready to use the word first.

Molotov said the suggestion to adjourn could not be regarded otherwise than "as a desire to get a free hand and act in the same unilateral manner as in the past." He was referring to alleged plans for establishment of a government of the western zones, which have been denied.

In the final minutes, discussing Austria, Molotov indicated he might settle for two thirds of Soviet claims to the Zisterdorf oil fields. They constituted only a part of Russian claims to property which they say was formerly German. The Austrian discussion lasted just one meeting and broke up when no agreement was reached defining what was meant by German assets. A French compromise suggestion was rejected by the Soviet delegation.

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New Soviet Envoy Arrives in U.S.

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ALEXANDRE S. PANYUSHKIN, Russia's new Ambassador to the United States, arrived in New York yesterday. He has been adviser to Foreign Minister Molotov at the Big Four Conference in London. Asked whether he hoped to promote better relations between the two countries, he said: "Everything is possible under the sun." He was a prewar division commander in the Red army and Ambassador to China from 1939 to 1944

Marshall to Leave Thursday for U. S.

Secretary of State Marshall will leave London by plane Thursday for the United States, the State Department said yesterday.

RUSSIA—From Page 1

Russia Cuts Cost of Bread

slavement of Europe by American imperialism."

(The "Voice of America" program of the United States State Department will be highly skeptical of the success of the Russian program to help the average Soviet citizen, Government officials said in Washington. "Who's got an economic crisis now?" will be the line taken.)

Soviet Loan Convention Cuts Debt to One Third

Th Russian merger and conversion of internal state loans made before 1947 means cutting of the state debt existing through 1946 to one third.

Dispatches from Moscow, which pass through Russian censorship, have not reported the amount of the loans. The statesman's yearbook states that Russia's internal debt January 1, 1933, was 10,088,900,000 rubles and "has been increasing annually."

Germans Seek Accord For Western Setup

Frankfurt, Germany, Dec. 15 (AP). The ending of the four-power Foreign Ministers Conference in London spurred German political leaders tonight to speed their efforts to agree on a plan for the creation of a government for "Western Germany."

The leaders of the two strongest political parties in the western occupation zones will meet tomorrow in an attempt to eliminate a few remaining differences so they can present a definite proposal to the Allied Military Government within a few days.

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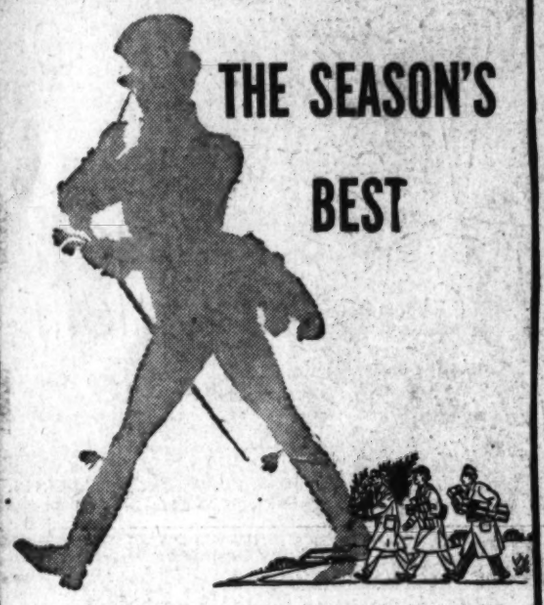

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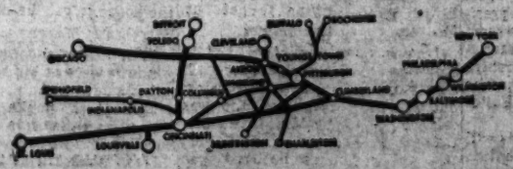

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What Am I Saying! — By Frank Morgan
The night has a thousand eyes—so pull down your shades.

The Federal Diary

by Jerry Klutz

House Gets 5 Bills For $800 Raises of Most U. S. Workers

PAY RAISES: Five different bills to raise the salaries of most Federal workers by a flat $800 each were introduced in the House yesterday. The identical bills would become effective on January 1, 1948. Their sponsors are:

Representatives Jones (R., Wash.), Miller (D., Calif.), Beall (R., Md.), Almond (D., Va.) and Pfeiffer (D., N. Y.). Jones, Miller and Almond are all members of the House Civil Service Committee to which the bills were referred. Three more Republicans can be expected to introduce similar bills today in the House.

All the $800 bills either have been or will be introduced at the request of AFL's American Federation of Government Employes. The $800 bills have the indorsement of AFL's Government Employes Council. A dozen or more bills to raise the pay of postal employes by a flat $800 each also are set to be introduced this week—bills indorsed by the council.

The bills all provide a permanent increase in pay. They propose a boost of 40 cents an hour in the salaries of hourly workers. The bills are worded to protect the automatic in-grade promotions of Classification Act employes.

GPO: An increase of around 10 cents an hour for the per diem employes in the Government Printing Office here was reported to have been debated yesterday. However, it's said that "discussion" figures ranged from 7 to 15 cents an hour. But 10 cents was mentioned as a compromise figure.

The pay raise for GPO employes was discussed at a meeting of the Joint Congressional Committee on Printing whose chairman is Senator Jenner (R., Ind.). Public Printer Giegengack met with the committee. The committee did not authorize the Public Printer to make a firm offer to his employes. Instead, it ordered him to produce additional information on wage rates. Also, Giegengack was authorized to take up a possible settlement with employe leaders. The Public Printer is to have a session today with several leaders.

This point is all too clear—that GPO employes will not get anything near what they're asking. Employe demands range from 25 to 40 cents an hour. The Joint Committee yesterday is said to have rejected an increase of 15 cents as "too high."

GPO hopes to make the pay raise effective on Thursday.

WAA: Three top-ranking War Assets officials are on the pan because they permitted a WAA customer to buy cars for them at list prices. The officials paid for the autos. This is an interesting sidelight on the transaction:

As a condition of employment, WAA employes have been made to sign a statement that they would not accept any favors from WAA customers, not even a lunch or a dinner.

LOYALTY: The 23-man Civil Service loyalty review board meets again today to debate proposed rules and regulations on the handling of loyalty cases. The substance of the rules was revealed here yesterday.

But in addition, the rules will be preceded by an important policy statement from the board—a sort of a preamble—which will attempt a much-needed definition of disloyalty and standards of the grave charge.

The preamble, it's reported, will say, in effect, that any Federal worker should be free to advocate changes in our economic system—so long as he does not propose bringing about the changes by violence and disorder.

The board also will meet tomorrow. The rules may be made public after that meeting. As reported here yesterday, three new board members also will be appointed.

DISABILITY: An important new bill to provide better treatment for Federal workers who are disabled in line of duty has been introduced by Chairman Hartley of the House Labor Committee. Representative Schwabe (R., Mo.), a subcommittee chairman, has promised to hold hearings on it on January 19.

The bill, indorsed by AFL's postal clerks and other employe groups, provides:

That the maximum allowance for disability be raised from $116.66 to $225 a month; that the minimum be raised from $58.33 to $113 a month, and that employes be paid larger amounts for the loss of limbs, fingers, and the like in line of duty.

The Federal employe compensation law hasn't been changed in years.

NOTES: Abner D. Silverman has resigned as director of program planning at Public Housing Administration to join a private housing concern in Chicago. He said the high cost of living and his fixed Federal salary is the cause of his resignation . . . CIVIL SERVICE has announced exams for electronic engineer and physicist for openings in New England naval establishments. Also for engineer jobs at Interior's Bureau of Reclamation in Denver . . . Dorothy Volner, an employe in the budget office at FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION, was admitted to practice last week before the Supreme Court.

School Strike Ultimatum Laid Down By Parents

Use of White Eliot Junior High and Abandonment of Annexes Demanded

Parents of striking Browne Junior High School students yesterday laid down two conditions to be met before they return their children to school.

They gave the two-pronged ultimatum after 100 of the mothers and fathers accompanied their children to the school yesterday morning to talk with Dr. Garnet C. Wilkinson, Negro first assistant superintendent of schools.

They demanded immediate return to two part-time shifts at the Browne buildings and abandonment of Blow and Webb annexes. The Browne building is at 24th and Benning rd. ne. Blow is at 19th and Benning. Webb is at 15th and Rosedale sts. ne.

Demand White School

They further demanded that the white Eliot Junior High School be turned over for use by their children in February, to end the part-time program.

The parent-inspired strike has kept away about two-thirds of the students from classes in Browne school and the two annexes since December 3, after the school system turned over the two annexes for Negro school use to end part-time, double-shift schooling at Browne.

In answer to the parents' demand for use of the Eliot school, Dr. Hobart M. Corning, superintendent of schools, told a reporter that such relief for overcrowded Browne school "had been studied thoroughly and found impossible."

Serious Curtailment

Doctor Corning said that to effect the shift Eastern High School would have to absorb Eliot students, which, he said, would force abandonment of shop work and physical education for the junior high students and "seriously curtail" music, typing and science classes.

In a plea to the parents yesterday, Doctor Wilkinson told them the real issue was "a segregated school house" which should "be settled in the courts and in Congress."

He declared that as a result of the strike the children "are not only losing education, but are getting a very poor lesson in good citizenship." But to his reference to Edgar Brown, director of the National Negro Council, as "your leader," there were cries of "No! No! No!"

Brown, who has played an active part in the strike, interrupted the meeting on several occasions to exhort the parents not to send their children to Blow and Webb annexes.

Protest Long Commuting

The parents protested to Dr. Wilkinson that under present arrangements many of the children must commute 15 blocks daily between Blow and Browne or nine blocks between Webb and Browne. They complained also of lack of junior high school facilities in the two annexes, former elementary school buildings, and termed toilet facilities inadequate.

Wilkinson explained he had recommended temporary use of the annexes because "some heroic method" had to be taken to put part-time Browne students on full-time programs.

Welcome Mat Out Here for 2 World Fliers

Cliff Evans and George Truman, the globe-girdling flivver pilots, will get a rousing welcome home in Washington today.

The two fliers, who bounced around the world in 123days in their pint-sized Piper Supercruisers, are scheduled to arrive here—by train—about 2 p. m. today. Bad flying weather forced them to decide last night to leave their airplanes at Teterboro, N. J., where they completed the 25,162-mile trip last Wednesday.

Evans, who is 27 years old and lives at 1416 N. Abingdon st., Arlington, and Truman, 39, of 4804 V st. se., will be met by Board of Trade officials and representatives of the Army, Navy, Government and Civic and flying organizations.

After a press conference at the Carlton Hotel at 3 p. m., they will receive testimonial scrolls from John A. Reilly, trade board president, achievement certificates from the National Aeronautics Association and honorary memberships from the Civil Air Patrol in public ceremonies at the District Building at 4:15 p. m.

From 5 to 7 p. m., the pilots will be honored guests at a reception sponsored by the Washington Association of Flying Clubs at the Willard Hotel.

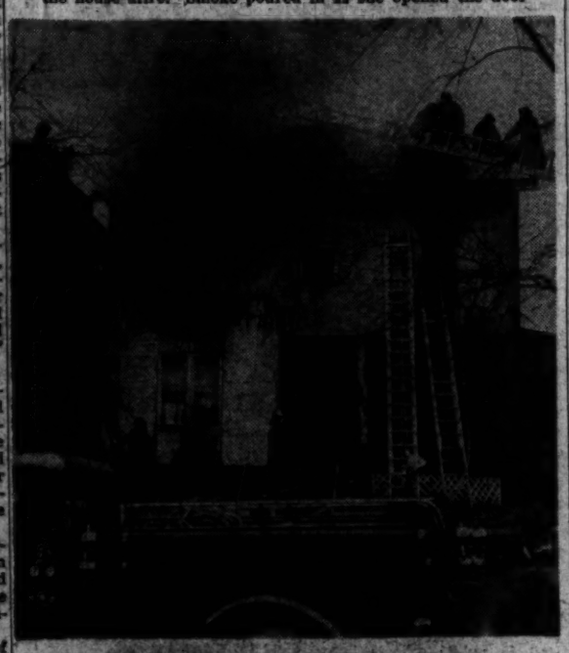
Evans and Truman will then attend the Board of Trade general membership meeting at 8 tonight at the Statler Hotel.

Sardar Fakher Chosen As Premier of Iran

Tehran, Iran, Dec. 15 (AP).—An official announcement said today that Parliament in a secret session last night nominated Reza Hekmat Sardar Fakher for premier, giving him 71 of its 106 votes.

3-Alarm Fire Leaves 5 Families Homeless

ON WAY TO DOCTOR—Mrs. Estelline Huey was leaving with her infant son, John Wayne, to see a doctor when she learned the house afire. Smoke poured in as she opened the door



SCENE OF THE FIRE—Apartment house at 3519 11th st. nw., where five families were made homeless by a three-alarm fire late yesterday afternoon. Three persons were slightly hurt

DRIVEN OUT—Capt. Joseph A. Briscoe of Engine 4 retrieves his helmet after climbing into the attic via a hole chopped through the roof. Flames forced him out a few moments later

Two Firemen, Woman Slightly Hurt; 11th Street House Nearly Destroyed

Five families were left homeless yesterday afternoon by a three-alarm fire that practically destroyed a two-story stucco house at 3519 11th st. nw.

Two firemen, a woman and a dog were slightly injured.

About 30 pieces of fire equipment answered the alarms. The blaze, seen by several hundred persons, was brought under control in about 20 minutes, after it had left the house little more than a shell.

Those injured were Pvts. R. A. Brown, Truck Company No. 11; W. B. Sweeney, Engine Company No. 28, both of whom were treated on the scene for hand cuts by Fire Department Surgeon William D. Claudy and ambulance crew members of Fire Department Rescue Squad No. 1, and Mrs. Rovina Sprueill.

Mrs. Sprueill, 35, wife of the janitor, was treated at Freedmen's Hospital for a cut hand she received in breaking a basement window trying to get out.

Mothers Carry Out Babies

Mrs. Eva Hannon, who lived in Apartment 1, carried her 10-month-old baby, Arthur Patrick, out of the house when she was told of the fire by Mrs. Marie McCollum, a neighbor, of 3537 11th st. Mrs. Hannon's husband was at work and two older children were at school.

Apartment 2, rented by Mrs. Almyra Eathorne, was unoccupied at the time.

Mrs. Estelline Huey, Apartment 3, also was notified of the fire by a passer-by. She left the building with her infant, about 5 months old. Her husband and another child were away.

Also evicted by the fire were Mrs. Anna Anderson and a daughter, Olga, both of Apartment 4. Their dog, firemen said, came rolling down the inclined lawn in front of the house in a dazed condition, apparently affected by smoke, but requiring no treatment.

Firemen were unable to determine immediately what caused the fire, but said it started in the basement, where Mrs. Sprueill lived with her husband, Luther. Sprueill was not at home.

Mrs. McCollum said she would ask the Hannons to stay at her house for the night. Mrs. Huey was planning to stay with a sister temporarily. Others were uncertain or were planning to ask relatives for shelter.

Mrs. Said Saleh, also of the next house, 3537 11th st., told reporters she and her husband, a cab driver, had been called home because of a child's illness, when they saw the smoke and flames. Mrs. Saleh called the Fire Department, while her husband ran into the house to get the occupants out.

Barrett and Murphy on Scene

"The flames shooting out of the windows were as big as I am," Mrs. Saleh said.

The dense smoke seeped into houses on either side of the gutted building, but no one was overcome.

Maj. Robert J. Barrett, police superintendent, and Fire Chief Clement Murphy, were on the scene.

The first alarm, turned in at 3:20 p. m., was answered by Engine Companies 24, 11 and 21 and Truck Company 6.

The second alarm, at 3:23, brought engines from 9, 4 and 14 and Truck Company 9. The third alarm, at 3:25, brought Engine Companies 22, 28, 16 and Truck Company 11.

Also responding were both Fire Department rescue squads, with their ambulances, a deputy chief and two battalion chiefs.

Bus Driver Robbed of $5 At Gunpoint

Cleaning Woman's Sharp Eye Leads to Arrest in Theft From Jewelry Store

A masked bandit with a blue-steel revolver robbed a Capital Transit bus driver of $5 early yesterday when the bus stopped near 33d and Denver sts. se.

Victim was Earl Ridgeway, 45, of 1827 A st. se., who was driving an empty bus on the C-6 (Hillcrest) line.

He told police he stopped the bus about 12:45 a. m. when he saw "the shadow of a man running."

Bandit Wore Mask

As Ridgeway opened the doors, the "passenger" jumped up on the first step, waved a revolver and ordered Ridgeway to "hand it over." The thug wore a cheesecloth mask over the lower part of his face, Ridgeway said.

As the driver hesitated, the thug warned him he only had "three seconds to hand that dough over or else. . . ." Ridgeway dug five $1 bills from his shirt pocket and gave them to the thug who fled after warning the driver to go ahead.

A chance glance of a charwoman out a seventh story window yesterday led to the arrest of a soldier, accused of looting a jewelry store of $420 in jewelry.

Held For Grand Jury

The soldier, Pvt. Michael Joseph Krompholtz, jr., 23, stationed at Bolling Field, was charged with housebreaking and grand larceny.

Municipal Court Judge Armond W. Scott ordered him held under $1000 bond for action of the grand jury.

Police said that Mrs. Mary Brogan, of 1635 4th st. nw., was working in the National Press Building about 2:30 a. m., when she glanced out the window and saw a soldier break the window of the Ross Co. Inc., jewelers located at 13331 F st. nw., and remove some articles.

Mrs. Brogan immediately notified police. Several hours later, police picked up Krompholtz in the downtown area. They said they found some of the jewelry on him. He told them he had found it in an alley, they said.

$175 Camera Taken

Evan Lantz reported a $175 camera, $20 exposure meter and steel carving knife valued by police at $5 stolen from his home at 521 Newcomb st. se.

Lieut. (j.g.) Thaddeus G. Baker, USN, reported theft of $155 from his room at the Officers Service Club of the United Nations, 1644 21 st. nw.

Joseph B. Hallor, of Edgewater, Md., said $90 was stolen from his pocket while he slept in an auto parked in the 1000 block of K st. nw.

Two schools were reported broken into by thieves. Sumner G. Fletcher, principal of the Smothers School, 44th st. and Washington pl. ne., told police ransackers broke 30 panes of glass in doors, rifled desks and stole three boxes of fudge and candy bars valued at $10, as well as Christmas toys.

Some $60 was taken from the basement office of the custodian at the Banneker Junior High School, Euclid and Georgia aves. nw., Clardell Jenkins reported.

Reports of stolen automobiles were made by William Jackson, of 1014 M st. nw.; John J. O'Connor, jr., 3100 Connecticut ave. nw.; William F. Waddell, 1103 S. Carolina ave. se., and James Horan, 1121 New Hampshire ave. nw. A half-ton gray panel truck was stolen from a parking lot in the 1200 block of 9th st. nw., George W. Thompson, 811 Maryland ave. ne., told police.

Sen. Morse Asks Credentials on Reich Horses

Senator Wayne Morse (R., Oreg.) yesterday called for individual dossiers on the fine European horses the Army brought to this country as war booty.

Morse is chairman of a Senate Armed Services Subcommittee which has been investigating disposal of the horses. Shipment back to Euprope of a number of the horses claimed by Hungary has been held up for the investigation.

Senator Morse said the record could then "speak for itself" in any controversy horse breeders might have with the American Jockey Club over registering the foals produced by breeding the European horses with American horses.

The hearing will continue Thursday.

Maryland U. Student Killed as Auto Skids

Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP).—John William Springgs, 28, of 48 Mechanic st., Cumberland, Md., a student at the University of Maryland, was killed early today when his automobile struck a patch of ice and was demolished on Route 26.

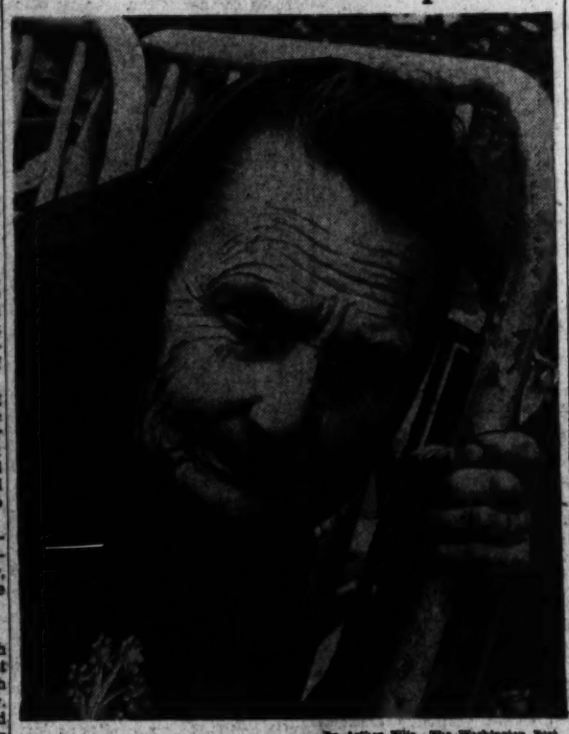
Springgs, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Springgs, was traveling from Cumberland to the University, at College Park. The accident occurred a mile from the Pennsylvania-West Virginia State line.

P-TA Yule Program

A Christmas program and community sing have been planned for the Parent-Teachers Association meeting at Banning School, Minnesota ave. and Foote st. ne. tomorrow at 8 p. m. A "sweet" sale of candy, cakes and cookies will follow the meeting.

McCarthy Disqualifies Himself in School Fight

Evicted Grandmother Guards Household Goods on Open Lot



By Arthur Hiltz—The Washington Post

Evicted from Home—and No Place to Go

"I got children," the woman on the open lot said, "but they ain't agoin' to do nothing for me."

Neither, she pudged, was the Board of Public Welfare, the Police Department or anyone else in Washington because "lots of people have been comin' aroun' and doin' a lot of talking but that don't get you nowhere."

Mrs. Laura Fields, 60-year-old grandmother, expressed those sentiments yesterday as she warmed her self by a small wood-burning stove while guarding an array of household possessions parked nearby.

Mrs. Fields was evicted from her bungalow at 4354 Southern ave. se. Friday. It was her fourth day on the lot. The mean temperature Friday was 35. There was a drop to 32 Saturday, to 31 Sunday and to 30 yesterday. What's more, police late yesterday asked her to empty lot may be dangerous.

quit using the stove; flames on an

Mrs. Fields said she'd spent the nights since her eviction with her daughter, "but that ain't so good because they only got one room." She said she'd been trying to find another place but couldn't find anyone who wanted to rent. For one thing, she said, "I only have car-fare money with me."

Her son-in-law, Harvey S. Graveley, 38, said he had stayed with the furnishings three nights, but was unable to help Mrs. Fields much "because I only make $32 a week." And part of that has to pay for board for his two children, he said.

Mrs. Fields said she was orphaned at an early age, deserted by her husband, and has been ill in recent years. Her latest troubles began two months ago when the Board of Public Welfare took her three grandchildren from her and cut off an $84-a-month income, after a Juvenile Court hearing.

Donald Gray, Welfare's public assistance chief, said Mrs. Fields applied for "general" assistance at the end of October and workers have been investigating since.

"I understand we have just about as much information as we need right now," he added, and Mrs. Fields may get a check in a day or two.

Carl Smuck, secretary of Hartman Realty Co., agents for owners of the Southern ave. property, said Mrs. Fields was evicted for not paying rent for six months. The rental is $25.

Pvt. R. L. Eubank of the Eleventh Precinct reported "the marshal put them out, but we didn't know anything about it until today."

"She has childre nand a son-in-law" he added, "and as long as she has people to take care of her we can't do anything."

Manslaughter Verdict Asks For Leniency

James W. Byrd, 28, 113 H st. nw., was convicted yesterday of manslaughter in the slaying of his estranged wife's boy friend.

A District Court jury brought in the verdict with a recommendation for leniency after deliberating for 2½ hours.

Byrd, it was charged, fatally stabbed John M. Hatcher, 34, of 1318 B st. se., last October 12 during a fight at Mrs. Byrd's home, 5229 Drake pl. se.

Under the law, Byrd is liable to a maximum of 15 years' imprisonment. Associate Justice Edward M. Curran turned the case over to probation authorities for pre-sentence investigation.

Brown Held for Jury In Fatal Shooting

John Brown, 28, of 1114 4th st. ne. yesterday was ordered held for the grand jury in the fatal shooting of his brother-in-law, Collins R. Mason, 37, of the 4th st. address.

A coroner's jury ordered Brown held after hearing testimony that the shooting followed a family argument in which Mason was accused of eating Brown's breakfast—a brac of frankfurters.

Shot seven times with a .22 caliber rifle, Mason was pronounced dead on arrival at Gallinger Hospital at 2:35 a. m. Sunday. Police charged Brown with murder.

Three persons were reported arrested yesterday for assault with a dangerous weapon.

Ed. Roland, 55, of 240 3d st. sw. was charged with assaulting Samuel Brooks, 51, of 129 D st. sw. with an ax. Brooks was admitted to Gallinger Hospital for a scalp laceration.

Willie Mays, 44, of 1107 6th st. nw. was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon on complaint of Rowbelia H. Bailey, 44, of 1156 21st st. nw., who said she had been shot at with a .32 caliber revolver.

Also charged with assault with a dangerous weapon was Edward Arnold Odams, 33, of 2220 11th st. nw., accused of striking his wife, Pattie Lee Odams, 30, with a butcher knife. Mrs. Odams was treated at Garfield Hospital for cuts of the head and left hand and released.

Tighter Law Drafted on Prostitution

Proposals for tightening laws governing prostitution, pandering and soliciting in the District are being drafted by Assistant United States Attorney Warren Wilson for inclusion in proposed new legislatiop covering sex offenses here.

Wilson's proposals, it was learned yesterday, are to be submitted to George Morris Fay, United States Attorney for the District, and will seek to correct certain weaknesses in the present law applying to prostitution solicitation in hotels, railroad stations and similar places.

Would Qualify Squads

In addition, Wilson is working on a separate proposal to qualify sex squad detectives or others familiar with the phraseology of prostitution to testify in trials as to the "professional" meaning of certain words as "date," "sport" and "trick."

This latter move stemmed from the acquittal of a defendant on soliciting charges last week in Municipal Court when Judge Armond Scott ruled that the word "sport" as used by the accused did not, in a legal sense, mean sexual relations.

A preliminary draft of the proposed sex law released by Fay carries penalties up to 20 years for sex offenses against children.

Penalties are Listed

The first draft calls for a penalty of 20 years in prison or a $2000 fine or both for persons guilty of unnatural sex acts involving children under 16, and a penalty of 10 years or $1000 fine or both for such actions involving adults.

A penalty of 10 years is asked for persons making indecent advances to a child.

Currently, indecent acts toward children are punishable as a misdemeanor and carry a maximum penalty of $1000 or one year. Violations involving sodomy are presently punishable by a maximum of $1000 fine or 5 years or both.

Also under consideration is a law which would require the citing back to the prosecutor for further action, certain sex offenders who had been committed for hospitalization alone.

County Treasurer Seeks Authority To Allow Elected Board Handle Pay

Arlington County's controversy over who comprises its school board after January 1—the incumbent board or the ones elected in November—was marked yesterday by two new developments.

1. County Treasurer John Locke Green announced he would take action to give the newly elected board control of school finances pending settlement of the dispute.

2. Arlington Circuit Court Judge Walter T. McCarthy disqualified himself from hearing the court suit brought by the incumbents challenging legality of the bill which authorized a referendum vote for election of the new board.

High Court Must Act

As result of Judge McCarthy's action, the Virginia State Supreme Court will be asked to designate another judge to schedule and conduct the hearing.

The new board, whose members won the referendum vote in November, are slated to take office January 1, though none of the appointive terms of present members will have expired by that time.

Treasurer Green said he would file an "intervening petition" with the circuit court, possibly today, to give the new school board authority to pay teachers and other personnel pending disposition of the contest.

He said he would take such action to "protect" the teachers and other school employes who otherwise might have their pay held up "an indefinite period" till either of the two boards is finally designated the legal authority.

Judge Doesn't Explain Action

Judge McCarthy announced he was disqualifying himself from hearing the case after a conference with attorneys for the elected school board who had asked that an early hearing date be set. He gave no reason for his action.

The suit fled by the incumbents has asked a court ruling "on or around January 12," but Green said his action will be taken to protect the employes in the event of legal delays in deciding the issue.

Officials of the State board of education, at Richmond, though not officially informed of the suit, conceded that the issue raised the the question of which board it should recognize after January 1.

Assistant Superintendent of Schools Richard Hayden, in Richmond, told The Washington Post, the State board "might" seek an opinion of Attorney General Harvey B. Apperson. Apperson, however, declined to discuss the matter publicly "since it is now in litigation."

Board's Action Assailed

The legal challenge of the incumbent county school board yesterday was attacked sharply by representatives of two county organizations.

Harley Williams, chairman of the Arlington Better Government League, said the board's action "should be investigated by the Un-American Activities Committee as a subversive activity."

Mrs. Art Brown, former county Parent-Teacher Association president, questioned the "sincerity" of the incumbents.

Williams, described the suit as a product of "the machine-appointed and voter-repudiated school board," said it was "clearly an attempt to subvert the sovereignty of Arlington voters."

Mrs. Brown Explains Charge

Mrs. Brown, who earlier sent letters tto all the old board members and asked them to withdraw their suit, said she questioned the sincerity of their motives on the ground that four of the incumbents had submitted their names as candidates in the same election they now are attempting to invalidate.

"It is natural that the present members did not like to be defeated at the polls," she said, but it is evident that they are not sincere in their doubt of the constitutionality of the law permitting a popular election of the school board."

Attorneys Frank L. Ball, Edmund D. Campbell and William D. Medley, who announced they were representing the elected school board without compensation, were poined yesterday by a fourt hattorney who said he would work in their behalf without charge. He is Alfred W. Trueax, who said he would represent Green when the county treasurer files his "intervening petition" in the Circuit Court.

TODAY ON WINX

Recommended today on The Washington Post's radio stations WINX and WINX-FM, Tuesday, December 16:

6:15 P. M. Roundup of Sporting News with Bob Wolff.

8:00 P. M. An Evening Serenade with Emile Cote and his serenaders.

10:05 P. M. Excerpts from Wagner's Tristram and Isolde.

11:15 P. M. The Morton Downey Show from New York.

Area News in Brief

2 Oil Truck Drivers Safe in Crash-Fire

Two drivers, one an Alexandria man, escaped unhurt in a flaming crash of two oil trucks in a southeast Baltimore street early yesterday.

Five fire alarms were sounded while the 100-foot high flames reddened the predawn sky and flaming oil rushed down gutters. A large factory, a packing house, and several other buildings were threatened before firemen controlled the flames.

Pasters

William L. Pasters, 38, of 5 East Braddock st., Alexandria, operator of one of the trucks, said he was driving to Baltimore from Washington to pick up a load of gasoline when the crash occurred. The other truck, driven by James C. Freeman, 25, Baltimore, was carrying 4750 gallons of fuel oil.

Freeman was thrown from the cab of his truck by the impact of the crash. Pasters said he climbed out of the left door of his vehicle after he found the right door jammed.

Pasters told police he apparently dozed off momentarily just before the collision. He was fined $11.50 in traffic court for reckless driving and failing to keep to the side of the street. Reckless driving charges against Freeman were dismissed.

Pastor Accuses Parolee

A parolee charged with taking $300 from the home of the minister to whom he was paroled was held on $1500 bond yesterday for grand jury action.

George Lee Davis, 32, of 1109 N st. nw., had been paroled from a two-to-five-year term for theft to the Rev. George Keller, of Mount Zion Pentacostal Church, 1112 N st. nw., who gave him a job helping clean the church.

The $300, the Rev. Davis said, represented his wife's household savings.

Study School Needs

A survey aimed at determining future school construction needs in Montgomery County was begun yesterday when some 40 junior and senior high school principals and staff members met with Assistant School Superintendent E. M. Douglass.

Douglass said the principals were instructed to survey new housing and planned developments in their communities. The secondary aim of the survey, Douglass said, is to see if "reshuffling" of children will partially relieve overcrowding.

Masquers Plan Party

The National Masquers of National Baptist Memorial Church, 16th st. and Columbia rd. nw., will present Stephen Vincent Benet's Christmas play, "A Child Is Born."

The play was first presented on the "Cavalcade of America" radio program December 20, 1943. The cast of the local production includes Miss Jerry Lambert, Miss Norma Quick, Mrs. Jean Gianiny, Maj. Leonard Norhart Sowards, Edgar Crouch and Norman Fuller.

It will also be given Sunday at 7:30 p. m. in Woodward Hall, Calvary Baptist Church, 8th and H sts. nw., by the Calvary Players Club.

Apartments Approved

Proposed erection of 338 apartment units in Chevy Chase, Md., near the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks, was approved yesterday by the Park and Planning Commission.

Montgomery County commissioners, who have final authority, are scheduled to hear the petition filed by the Chevy Chase Land Co. at 2 p. m. today.

In its recommendation, the planning body described as "excellent" the land company's development plan. It also cited adequate road and shopping facilities near the proposed project.

Condition 'Satisfactory'

Arthur W. Tayman, 38, chief engineer for Prince Georges County, was in "satisfactory" condition in Prince George's County Hospital yesterday after suffering a heart attack Saturday. He suffered a similar attack last February.

To Discuss Loyalty

Loyalty probes will be discussed at a luncheon meeting of the Press and Radio Wing of the American Veterans Committee tomorrow at 12:30 p. m. at the YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw.

Speakers will include Assistant Secretary of Interior C. Girard Davidson, Assistant Director Lewis B. Nichols of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and James Wechsler, New York Post correspondent.

Horses in Good Health

District Commissioners assured the Washington Animal Rescue League yesterday that seven work horses being sold at Lorton Reformatory are in excellent condition physically.

Mrs. Robert Watson, chairman of the league's horse committee, last week queried the Commissioners on whether the animals were fit for sale and further use.

Sealed bids on the horses, aged 11 to 16 years, will be received up to 2 p. m. today at Room 509, District Building.

U. S. Sued for $10,000

A woman who suffered an injured left leg when she stepped into an open pipe top at last April's Cherry Blossom Festival filed suit against the United States yesterday for $10,000.

The woman, Mrs. Daniel C. Lefevre, 1805 Irving st. nw., asserted in the suit filed in District Court that the pipe was concealed by long grass on the grounds near Jefferson Memorial.

Her husband asked $5000 additional for medical expenses he said he incurred as a result of the accident.

29 Rent Increases Asked

Rent increases of from $5 to $7.50 per apartment were requested yesterday for 29 units at 1343 Clifton st. nw. in a hearing before James G. Tyson, examiner for the Rent Control Administration. Present rents range from $36.50 to $55.

4 Drunk Drivers Fined

Four defendants on driving-while-drunk charges yesterday were fined a total of $525 in Municipal Court.

Henry M. Salwach, 36, of 3018½ R st. nw., who was found guilty by a Municipal Court jury December 8, was sentenced by Judge Thomas D. Quinn to pay a $125 fine or serve 90 days in jail. Salwach paid the fine.

The three other defendants who entered pleas of guilty and were fined $100 each were Norman V. Richardson, 34, of New York City; William Ingram, 42, of 415 Elm st. nw., and Julius H. Krause, 33, of 326 N st. nw. Krause paid an additional $100 for driving on a revoked permit.

Whisky Seller Sentenced

Municipal Court Judge Thomas Dewey Quinn yesterday cracked down on illegal sale of whisky when he sentenced a 52-year-old after-hours vendor to 180 days in jail.

The defendant, Robert T. Burgess, 231 G st. nw., was arrested October 12 by two vice squad detectives after sale of a half-pint at 3d and G sts. nw.

In sentencing Burgess, Judge Quinn noted that there were three previous convictions on his record.

School Holidays Vary

School children in Alexandria and Arlington will begin their Christmas holidays this weekend, but District students must wait until December 24.

Montgomery and Prince Georges children will go on vacation next Tuesday, and Fairfax youngsters at 2 p. m. the same day. Tuesday, however, will be a full day in District schools.

Back-to-classes day for all children in Greater Washington is January 5.

Tax Forms Ready Today

Forms for the filing of income tax reports by District unincorporated businesses will be available today in Room No. 3 of the District Building, Tax Assessor E. A. Dent announced yesterday.

The forms will be mailed to firms whose names are on file early in 1948, but Dent warned that failure to receive the forms does not relieve taxpayers of the penalty for late filing.

The tax is required on businesses having a gross income in excess of $10,000 a year. The return must be filed by April 15 if the firm operates on a calendar year basis. If the firm carries its accounts on a fiscal year basis, the returns, if not yet made, are due within the next 30 days.

What's In a Name?

A defendant who is very philosophical about any plays on his name calmly shrugged off a 180-day sentence and trudged off to jail yesterday.

He was Owen M. Liberty, 41, of 1328 Corcoran st. ne., sentenced for shop-lifting one pair of pajamas — women's, red and blue flowered with pink trousers.

Municipal Court Judge Armond W. Scott couldn't let the opportunity pass after learning Liberty has sent several of the last 14 years in jail.

"You haven't been doing a very good job of living up to your name," the judge said. "I'm going to have to take away 180 more days of your liberty, Liberty."

Picketer, Colonial Style

A picketer clad in a Colonial costume paraded in front of the White House yesterday to protest continued imprisonment of conscientious objectors.

Nathan Horwitz, 29, of New York, said he represented the Committee for Amnesty, organized to commemorate yesterday's Bill of Rights Day which had been designated by President Truman.

Horwitz, who said he had served almost three years in prison during the war as an objector, carried a placard urging Mr. Truman to grant amnesty to "all objectors to war and conscription." A pamphlet asked, "Is freedom of conscience, freedom of religion a crime?"

Horwitz, a former union organizer, is now an assistant proof reader for a New York publishing firm.

Rev. Rozier C. Cowling

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—The Rev. Rozier C. Cowling, former pastor of St. Margaret's Protestant Episcopal Church, died at his St. Margaret's home yesterday.

He is survived by his son Philip T. Cowling, and a brother C. Milford Cowling of Alexandria, Va.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow by the Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, bishop of Maryland. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Doing Their Bit to Keep the Kettle Boiling

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT—Capt. Eupha Gibson, who watches over the Salvation Army kettle at 11th and G sts. nw., smiles as Alfred Moore, 8, and his sister, Virginia, 10, children of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore of 740 3d st. nw., contribute a few coins to the Army's fund to help the needy at holiday time

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Joe T. Biffle Funeral Rites Set for Today

Funeral services for Joe T. Biffle, 43, who died Sunday at his Miami Beach, Fla., residence, will be held at 1 p. m. today at Fort Myer Chapel. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mr. Biffle was the brother of Leslie L. Biffle, former secretary of the Senate and now staff director for the minority policy committee of the Senate.

Also surviving is the widow, Mrs. Nonnie Biffle of Arlington, Va., and two sisters, Mrs. Blanche Sanders and Miss Bernice Biffle, of Washington.

A native of Piggott, Ark., Mr. Biffle had been employed as a cotton expert in the Agriculture Department here for many years. He had been ill for the past two years with undulant fever, according to his brother.

He was a veteran of the World War I, and served overseas as a corporal with an Army ammunition train. He was in the grocery business in Piggott before joining the Agriculture Department.

Hagerstown Man Looking for Pipe Killed by Car

Frederick, Md., Dec. 15.—Charles S. Calhoun, 61, of Hagerstown, was killed instantly on route 40 yesterday when he got out of his car to look for a pipe he dropped while knocking the ashes out of it.

State police said Calhoun was on his hands and knees in the middle of the road when another car came along and struck him. Police found the lost pipe on the running board of Calhoun's car.

Calhoun, a native of Rockingham County, Va., is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pauline Suitzer Calhoun. Funeral services will be held in Hagerstown on Wednesday.

Mason Lewis

Frederick, Md., Dec. 15.—Funeral services for Mason Lewis, 70, of Union Bridge will be held at the funeral home there at 1 p. m. Wednesday.

Mr. Lewis died yesterday at the Frederick Memorial Hospital of burns he received last Wednesday when lighting brush soaked in inflammable liquid at the farm of Roy Grossnickle near Union Bridge. His clothing was ignited and he suffered first, second and third degree burns, according to the Frederick County medical examiner.

Hudgins Quits As Berwyn Heights Chief

George D. Hudgins, 75, retired chief of the Berwyn Heights, Md., Volunteer Fire Department, which he helped organize 14 years ago. He was named honorary chief for life.

HUDGINS

Hudgins received the Carnegie Bronze Medal for heroism last January for removing a fireman from high voltage electric wires in which he became entangled when struck a power pole. Hudgins helped organize the Branchville, Md., Volunteer Fire Department in 1923. He had served with departments in Riverview and Newport News, Va.

Lawrence Leyh, sr., was elected to succeed Hudgins. The new assistant chief is William Walker; captain, J. B. Stanner; lieutenant, Martin O'Dea; fire marshal, Lawrence O'Dea; engineer, Joe O'Dea; president, Fred M. Johns; vice president and trustee, Chief Hudgins; secretary, Lawrence O'Dea, and treasurer, T. O. Porter.

Baltimore Votes Johns Hopkins Best Citizen

Baltimore, Dec. 15 (AP).—Baltimore celebrated its 150th anniversary with an election to choose its greatest citizen—and Johns Hopkins won hands down.

The merchant and philanthropist who left $7,500,000 to found Johns Hopkins University and Hospital, won a front row seat in the city's hall of fame, and with him the late Cardinal Gibbons, 2d, and Edgar Allan Poe, 3d.

The voters, who cast ballots at the anniversary exposition, put Lord Baltimore in fourth place and Francis Scott Key, fifth. The Duchess of Windsor got 21 votes.

Asked what Baltimore needs most, the majority of voters said "better streets." But one voter contended the city needs most "to wake up—150 years of sleep is too long."

Dr. Lenardo Arguello

Mexico City, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Dr. Leonardo Arguello, exiled former President of Nicaragua, died here of a heart attack today. He was 75.

Lanes to Hear Concert

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Governor and Mrs. Lane will attend a concert by Margaret Truman, daughter of the President, Friday at the Lyric Theater at Baltimore.

G. E. Cotterill Dies; Former Attorney Here

Charles Edmund Cotterill, 57, former Washington attorney and expert on the law of interstate commerce, died yesterday at his home in Scarsdale, N. Y.

Mr. Cotterill had been ill for the past five months with heart disease.

A native of Washington, he was educated in public schools here and held bachelor and master of laws degrees from Georgetown University.

While a young man, he was employed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, but left to go to Atlanta after gaining his law degree. He later returned to the District and was engaged in practice here. About 10 years ago he moved to New York.

Mr. Cotterill had been general counsel for the Southern Traffic League, the American Highway Freight Association and the Mid-Atlantic States Motor Carrier Conference.

He was a member of the Association of Interstate Commerce Commission Practitioners and the New York Traffic Club.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Helen Park Cotterill, of Scarsdale, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Susan N. Van Dyke, of the Haddington Apartments, Washington, and a sister, Mrs. Dorothy E. Gardner, of 1900 Biltmore st. nw.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow in New York City. Burial will be in Greenville, Tenn.

Robert A. Lukens

Funeral services for Robert A. Lukens, 39, Montgomery County building contractor, will be held tomorrow at the Warner Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md. Burial will be in Colesville Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Lukens died of pneumonia yesterday in Montgomery County General Hospital.

A resident of Silver Spring for the past 14 years, he lived on Bonifant rd., Route 1. Mr. Lukens was a native of Eichorn, Germany, and came to this country at the age of 14. In his contracting business he developed subdivisions known as Woodmoor, near Silver Spring; Crestmore, at Bethesda, and sections of Kenesington.

He was a member of the Washington Board of Trade. Survivors include his widow, Katherine E. Lukens; a son, James Alfred, 2; a brother, Henry, Albany, N. Y.; a sister, Mrs. Marie Obermann, Schenectady, N. Y., and his father, Henry Lukens, Eichorn, Germany.

Maryland Couple Is Rescued From Death by Coal Fumes

Fighting unconsciousness for three hours yesterday morning, Irving Lamphier, 48, finally succeeded in saving himself and his wife when coal gas filled their home at 3115 Varnum st. Mount Rainier, Md.

He managed to open an upstairs window before grogginess overcame him repeatedly, a major factor in the rescue.

After more than three hours of desperate groping from an upstairs room to downstairs, Lamphier reached a telephone and dialed the alarm that brought help from the Mount Rainier Volunteer Fire Department.

Here, too, fortune was with him, for several weeks ago county firemen had attached a decalcomania to his telephone giving the emergency dial number (UN. 1120). He said he would not have had the strength to look the number up.

Firemen broke in to find Lamphier by the telephone and his wife, Carrie V., 48, in bed upstairs, both semiconscious. They revived the couple and summoned the family physician, who later pronounced them out of danger.

Lamphier, an employe of the Army Times, said he awoke at 6 a. m. and smelled the fumes. It was 9:10 a. m. when he dialed for help.

Firemen traced the deadly gas to a furnace smokepipe which had become dislodged.

W. H. McCreary Services Set For Tonight

Funeral services for Nesbitt H. MacCreary, 54, supervisor of on-the-job training for Prince Georges County veterans, will be held tonight at 8 p. m. at Hines funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw. The body will be returned to Wyoming, Pa., for services and burial Thursday.

Mr. MacCreary, dho lived at 2500 Q st. nw., died yesterday morning after collapsing at his office in the Veterans Administration building. He was pronounced dead by Dr. H. B. Orleans of the VA staff.

A native of Sunbury, Pa., he was educated in Forty Fort and Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and came to Washington in 1942. Before coming here, he was for 16 years an assistant general manager of the Imperial Motor Corp., Kingstown, Pa.

From 1942 to 1944 he was chief clerk of the board of the District OPA and for the following two years he was district OPA veterans' relations adviser. Since 1946 he had been with the Veterans' Administration as a training specialist.

He leaves his wife, Helen Reynolds MacCreary; his father, A. T. MacCreary, and a brother, Jerry, both of Tappahannock, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. Wesley Johnson, Williamsport, Pa.

James M. Crown

Funral services for James Morton Crown, 66, life-long resident of Montgomery County, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at Layhill, Md., Methodist Church. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Crown died in Suburban Hospital, Bethesda, Sunday after an illness of three weeks. Born in Derwood, Md., he had lived in the Silver Spring area most of his life.

He was a former employe of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and had spent many years in farming. For the past few months he lived at White Oak.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Venie Frances Crown; four children, Donald and Preston, both of Layhill; Bernard, White Oak, and Mrs. Arthur M. Haley, Kensington; two brothers, John, Derwood, and Frank, Gaithersburg; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Poole, Rockville, and Mrs. Elsie Shaw, Gaithersburg; 18 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Arthur Machen

Beaconsfield, England, Dec. 15 (AP).—Arthur Machen 84, the British novelist who originated the World War legend of "the Angel of Mons," died today.

Deeply affected by the Battle of Mons, in which 5000 British soldiers died, Machen wrote a wholly imaginative short story, "The Bowmen," in which St. George and a host of ghostly English bowmen succored the British army and routed the Germans.

Later soldiers who survived the battle said they had seen visions of the bowmen in the sky.

Adm. Rogelio Perez

Buenos Aires, Dec. 15 (AP).—Rear Admiral Rogelio Perez, 52, recently designated commander of the Argentine high seas fleet, died today after a brief illness.

Mary E. Tull

Frederick, Md., Dec. 15.—Funeral services for Miss Mary Esther Tull, newspaperwoman and poet here, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m., at Trinity Chapel of the Evangelical Reformed Church. She died Friday, at Frederick Memorial Hospital, after a short illness.

Miss Tull was for many years a reporter on the Frederick News and was author of "The Saturday Chat," a feature column. She had two volumes of poetry published, "Stained Windows" in 1927, and "Quest," in 1932, and contributed to many publications.

A graduate of Hood College, Miss Tull was active in the Alumnae Association and a member of the American Association of University Women, the Baltimore Branch of American Pen Women, and the Grenfell Guild of America.

She is survived by her mother and a brother, Howard S. Tull of New York City.

Louis Delage

Paris, Dec. 15.—Louis Delage, 73-year-old French automobile manufacturer, died yesterday at his suburban Paris home of a ruptured blood vessel.

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BIFFLE, JOSEPH T. At Miami Beach, Fla., on Sunday, December 14, 1947, JOSEPH T. BIFFLE, husband of Nonnie Biffle and brother of Mrs. Blanche Sanders, Miss Bernice Biffle and Mr. Leslie L. Biffle of Washington, D. C. Services will be held at Fort Myer Chapel on Tuesday, December 16, at 1 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

BOWMAN, CLARA WEAVER. Suddenly, on Sunday, December 14, 1947, at 5:10 p. m., in the home of her sister, Mrs. Mark Reid, Front Royal, Va., CLARA WEAVER BOWMAN. She is survived by one brother, Hanson Weaver, Mobile, Mont.; two sisters, Mrs. Mark Reid and Mrs. Thomas Miller, Front Royal, Va. Funeral Tuesday, December 16, at 10 a. m. from Reid Funeral Home. Interment Arlington National Cemetery, at 1:30 p. m.

BROWN, WILLIAM HENRY.—On Sunday, December 14, 1947, at Circle Terrace Hospital, WILLIAM HENRY BROWN, father of Mrs. D. of Alexandria and William of Philadelphia and Hubert Brown of Syracuse, N. Y.; Alethia Brenner of Arlington and Miss Mary Brown of Syracuse, N. Y. Funeral services on Wednesday, December 17, at 10:30 a. m. from the Wheatley Funeral Home, Alexandria. Interment Tulley, N. Y.

BRUMBAUGH, ROSA F. at Santa Monica, Calif., ROSA F. BRUMBAUGH of 1609 Missouri ave. nw., beloved wife of Noah J. Brumbaugh, mother of Mrs. Evelyn B. Green, Capt. Heber B. Brumbaugh, Granville M. Brumbaugh of Westport, Conn., and John W. Brumbaugh of New York City; sister of Wilson B. Fiery, Miss Katie Fiery and Mrs. J. Homer Bright, all of Phillipsburg, Ohio. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Services at the above funeral home on Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery. (Richmond papers please copy.)

BUNELL, MATILDA J. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, at Emergency Hospital, MATILDA J. BUNELL of 5418 24 st. nw., mother of Mrs. Annie R. Warren and grandmother of Sandra A. Warren. Her body is at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 10th and O sts. nw., where a requiem mass of the repose of her soul. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

CROWN, JAMES M. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, at Suburban Hospital, JAMES M. CROWN of Silver Spring, Md., beloved husband of Venie F. Crown and father of Mrs. Arthur M. Haley, Donald, Bernard and Preston Crown. Mr. Crown rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md. Services on Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p. m. at Ley Hill Methodist Church, Ley Hill, Md. Interment church cemetery.

DANES, ROY B. Suddenly on Sunday, December 14, 1947, at his residence, 1261 Simms pl. ne., ROY B. DANES, beloved husband of Bessie Danes. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th and Massachusetts ave. ne., until Tuesday, December 16, at 4 p. m. Services and interment Thursday, December 18, at Penn Van, N. Y.

DODGE, RALPH H. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, RALPH H. DODGE, beloved husband of Sadie E. Dodge and father of Howard D. Dodge and Edris M. Mackey. Friends from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 3719 Georgia ave. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

EATON, JOHN OLIN. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, at Montgomery County General Hospital, JOHN OLIN EATON, beloved husband of Lillian A. Eaton of Rockville, Md., father of Mrs. Mildred A. Farm, Olney, Md., and father of Mildred B. and DeWitt D. Eaton, Jr. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Funeral Home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Bethesda, Md., where funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 16, at 10 a. m. Interment private.

FARNAM, THADDEUS FORD. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, at his residence, 1409 North Nelson st., Arlington, Va., THADDEUS FORD FARNAM, beloved husband of Myrtle M. Farnam, and father of Mrs. Hamilton and Lester P. Farnam, Mrs. Augusta Owens and Mrs. Ella Ashton and uncle of Mary Jean Farnam. Reception invited at the Fred Howard Home, 2300 Wilson blvd., Arlington, where funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 16, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GRAY, ROLAND. On Tuesday, December 9, 1947, at New York City, N. Y., ROLAND GRAY, husband of Mrs. Laura Gray Pannill and granddaughter of Mrs. Josephine Washburn. Services at Chambers Riverdale Funeral Home on Tuesday, December 16, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

GIUSTA, MARGARET ANN. On Monday, December 15, 1947, at Providence Hospital, MARGARET ANN GIUSTA of 1210 L st. nw., aunt of Mrs. Cynthia O. Kelly, Mrs. Marion G. Burke, Mrs. Harold A. Chester. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 10th and O sts. nw., where a requiem mass of the repose of her soul will be offered at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

HAMLIN, SERGT. JOSEPH TRACY, killed in action, December 16, 1944. Gone but not forgotten. SERGT. JOSEPH TRACY HAMLIN of Ilion, N. Y., beloved son of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. E. G. Hamlin. Funeral Home, 3147 Penn. ave. se., on Tuesday, December 16, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Francis Xavier Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. New York papers please copy.

HAYES, AGNES S. On Saturday, December 13, 1947, at her residence, 1209 37th ave., Hillside, Md., AGNES S. HAYES, beloved wife of Charles A. Hayes, Sr. Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, December 16, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Trinity Episcopal Cemetery, Portsville, Md.

HOLZER, JAMES J. On Monday, December 15, 1947, at his residence, 738 Farragut st. nw., JAMES J. HOLZER, beloved husband of 144 A. Holzer and father of Dorothea Bladgrum and Mrs. Mabel Topham of Florida and Kate Jackson of New Jersey. Funeral from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4815 Georgia ave. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

DODGE, RALPH H. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, RALPH H. DODGE, beloved husband of Sadie E. Dodge and father of Howard D. Dodge and Edris M. Mackey. Friends from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4719 Georgia ave. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

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GARRISON, MELVIN E. Suddenly, on December 14, 1947, at his residence, 2328 L st. nw., MELVIN E. GARRISON, beloved husband of Mrs. Mamie Garrison, son of George and Edna Garrison, brother of George Garrison, Jr. Services at Chambers Georgetown Funeral Home, 3077 M st. nw., on Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Friends invited.

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Guesses Are Men's Privilege, Business Women Told

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP).—A woman who advanced to the top of one of the world's largest trade associations told a feminine audience tonight that women in business cannot afford to risk a guess.

That's because men won't forgive them for any mistakes they make, said Mrs. Rose Marie Kiefer, secretary-manager of the National Association of Retail Grocers.

In a talk prepared for the women of Roosevelt College, Mrs. Kiefer said women, to succeed in business, must (1) be willing to climb the ladder of success more slowly than men; (2) be willing to "give a bit more and take a bit less," and (3) not have too many eccentricities.

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DRESSES, SECOND FLOOR

Mary Haworth's Mail

Wife Was Happy in Three Years' Marriage Until Husband Brought His Adoring Sister To Live With Them; Now Coolness Grows

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I've been married three years and during that time I have worked and handed over my pay to my husband, whom I love. We need a lot of things that we can't afford yet.

We took a 10-day vacation and brought his sister back with us. Tom wanted her to come because she wasn't treated right at home. She has no money of her own and when she needs anything she either gets it from me or asks Tom for money.

I am beginning to resent her very much. On the trip home, when we stopped for meals she always managed to sit next to him. And since being here, she sits next to him when we are driving.

Sister Cannily Cozens Brother

WE LIVE in three small rooms and she doesn't clean her room at all. I wash the floors and woodwork, do the laundry by hand and also do all the cooking and shopping. She dries the dishes, but never offers to wash them for a change.

When I have dinner cooked, she watches out the window for Tom and by the time he enters the door she is busy dishing up the food and putting it on the table—and I suppose she looks quite helpful to him. It's really getting me down.

There is growing coolness between Tom and me. He says he can't understand what's wrong with me. He says I must be tired of him and don't love him any more. I am getting terribly nervous and losing weight. I tire very easily. My back and hip won't let me work too hard, and I've been under a doctor's care for five months. All things considered, what should I do? Please answer soon. P. R.

Girl's Behavior Is Subtly Morbid

DEAR P. R.: It's certainly true that the situation is getting you down. I'm sure your symptoms of illness would vanish if you could get Tom's sister (let's call her Nancy) off your hands; and furthermore, I don't doubt that she is a problem.

Her attitude towards Tom is inordinately possessive and more than sisterly. She hero worships him as her knight, her champion and patron saint; and she jealously feels that he is more more hers than he is yours—because she knew and loved him first.

She knows very well you don't want her around and that she is being a thorn in your side; but having got installed as a member of the household, she feels pretty strongly—just as you do—that you can't force her out or bluntly criticize her in any particular without putting yourself in a bad light with Tom; and she senses your fear of that denouement.

Man Should Block Unseemly Rivalry

HER unconscious purpose is to sabotage the marriage and recapture Tom's whole heart; hence she is baiting you in various stealthy ways, while doing her best to make a big hit with him—the idea being to shine, for his benefit, in contrast to your glum performance which she evokes.

A novel by Kathleen Norris, titled "Angel in the House," treats a comparable situation as the central theme, except in that case the girl's compulsive drive was to break up her mother's marriage and be despotic sole recipient of her mother's love—which I mention to indicate that Nancy's behavior isn't something unheard-of.

Intuitively you know what's wrong, and on the feeling-level you've been fiercely resistant and resentful, but afraid to speak up,—hence the outcropping of physical ailments, which refer to stymied rage and anxiety. All things considered, other arrangements should be made for Nancy—and her unseemly coquetry consistently discouraged by Tom himself, as a means of deflecting her emotional energies into healthier channels. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Washington Post.

Helpful Hints For Homemakers

A strong screw driver is a splendid kitchen utensil for the housewife to pry off the lids of obstinate cans and jars instead of her best paring knife, which is not only dangerous but not strong enough.

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Have a special compartment where the carving knife is kept. It not only is dangerous to put it among the other kitchen articles, but it will dull its fine edge to come in constant contact with other metal accessories.

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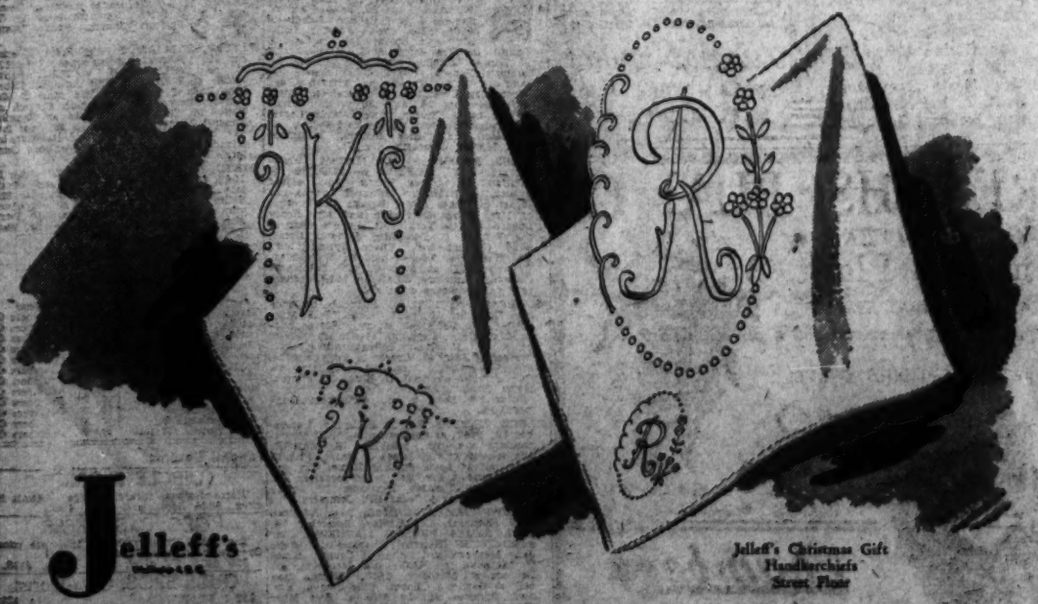

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Jelleff's Christmas Gift Handkerchiefs
Street Floor

China Mart Is Treasure Trove of Gifts

The Christmas China Mart at the Chinese Embassy today is a golden opportunity for last-minute shopping. Silks, jewelry, knicknack novelties; in fact so many fascinating items will be displayed that it might seem St. Nicholas had already come by with his pack.

Delicious Chinese tea will be available in attractive boxes, and, from 3 to 7, cups of the fragrant brew will be served by ladies of the embassy staff in their native dress. Mme. Koo will be on hand to assist and she invites all of Washington to come. Proceeds from the bazaar go to United Service for China.

There will be literally hundreds of small gifts just right for youthful Christmas stockings. At the fine arts booth, Mrs. Galem Wallace will sell real treasures from the Orient, such as jade and lovely Chinese prints.

Among those who will take turns at the tea table are Mrs. Donald Richberg, Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Mrs. Stanley Reed, Mrs. George Mesta, Mrs. Robert A. Taft, Mrs. William Youngman, jr., Representative Edith Nourse Rogers, Mrs. Stanley K. Hornbeck, Mrs. Robert Guggenheim Mrs. Anne Archbold, Mrs. Bradley Nash, Mrs. Robert Lowe Bacon, Mrs. David K. E. Bruce, Mrs. William D. Connor, Mrs. Nelson T. Johnson, wife of the former Ambassador to China; Mrs. James Lawrence Houghteling and Mrs. Albert Wedemeyer.

Rings on Their Fingers

Sperry Photo

MISS SALLY TRIP
. . . *Engagement told*

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ferris Tripp, formerly of New Bedford, Mass., now of Washington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally Loraine, to James Deeter Kennedy, son of Mrs. Deeter Kennedy of Washington.

Miss Tripp attended school here. Mr. Kennedy was graduated from the U. S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, Long Island. He is now a student at the Georgetown School of Foreign Service.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Cooley—Robbins

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooley of Beltsville, Md., have announced the engagement of their daughter,

MISS ELEANOR COOLEY
. . . *engagement told*

Eleanor Graham, to Chandler Seymour Robbins, son of Prof. and Mrs. Samuel D. Robbins of Belmont, Mass.

Miss Cooley attended Duke University and received her science degrees from the University of Maryland and Cornell and also studied at the University of Minnesota. She has been employed as librarian at the University of Iowa, the United States Department of Agriculture and Goucher College.

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Mr. Robbins was graduated from Harvard and also attended Maryland and George Washington Universities. He is now associated with the Patuxent Research Refuge in Laurel, Md.

The wedding will take place in the spring.

Correction

In the announcement of the engagement of Miss Zelda Sheeskin and Seymour Berry, which appeared in this section yesterday, the prospective bridegroom's name was spelled "Barry" instead of "Berry." The Washington Post regrets the error.

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On the Party Front...

GEN. and Mrs. Alexander Archer Vandegrift were the guests in whose honor Vice Admiral and Mrs. Harry W. Hill entertained at a dinner last evening in their quarters at the National War College. The party was given for a company of 12.

Another general was feted yesterday, when Mrs. Albert Walton Kenner entertained at a birthday buffet supper for her husband, General Kenner. It was also the birthday of Maj. Gen. Thomas B. Larkin, and the two generals shared honors. About 20 guests were invited.

Myra Hess, English pianist, was feted at a dinner given by Col. and Mrs. Curt C. Schiffeler in the Queen Elizabeth Room of the Hotel Raleigh. Dr. Hans Kindler was among the guests, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Finkenstaedt. Also Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Mr. and Mrs. George Hewitt Myers, Mrs. Persis Hill, Mrs. Robert Dunlap, and Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran Thom.

Candlelight Waltz Group Dances

THE third in a series of dances was held by the Candlelight Waltz Group Saturday evening at the Washington Club.

Couples included Miss Margaret Magruder, Paul Jolles, Miss Mary Morrison, George Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Everett G. Walk Miss Elma Baker, Frank Salisbury, Miss Ruth Bielaski, Frank Balsley, Mr. and Mrs. William Sasscer Hill, Miss Dixie Scott, George Elsey, and among the stags, Robert Lunny and James Standard of Grosse Pointe, Mich.

Mrs. Ervin Entertains For Lady Monro, Mrs. Gill

A LUNCHEON was given by Mrs. R. G. Ervin yesterday at Pierre Restaurant for Lady Monro and her guest, Mrs. H. F. T. Gill of Ottawa, Canada. Other guests included Mrs. John J. McCloy, Mrs. A. Peter Dewey, Mrs. Christian Herter, Mrs. Richard Harte of Boston and Miss Adele Q. Ervin, daughter of the

Party to Honor Two Debutantes

MISS Dudley Nicolson, a debutante of this season, and Miss Sherrard Marthinson will share honors at a large breakfast party at the Chevy Chase Club on Sunday. The party will be given by Miss Marthinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Detlow Mainch Marthinson, who will present their daughter at another party later in the year.

Visits Here

Lady Anne Coventry, eldest daughter of the Countess of Coventry and the late Earl of Coventry, was in Washington last weekend on a short visit. She was entertained at dinner Saturday evening by Dr. and Mrs. J. J. B. Sebastian.

Polish Leader Tells Dramatic Story

Hat and Coat Only Disguise As Mikolajczyk Escaped Through Soviet Zone

By Mary Van Rensselaer Thayer

A NEW TWIST—and sad commentary—on the world's nasty state is when a dozen or more honored guests at a Washington cocktail party have either been condemned to the firing squad or life imprisonment if they dare return to their countries.

On Saturday, Poland's former Peasant Party leader, Stanislas Mikolajczyk, was feted by Dr. Georgi M. Dimitrov, Bulgaria's Agrarian Party leader, whose escape from Sofia was as E. Phillips Oppenheim, as was Mr. M's from Warsaw.

The Polish leader, whose 10-day blackout after leaving Poland captured world headlines, is chunky, auburn-haired, blue-eyed and understandably cheerful. "I wasn't going to stay until they got ready to shoot me," he said, grinning.

The "they," of course are the Communist-controlled government and secret police.

Dangerous Journey

THE MECHANICS of Mr. Mikolajczyk's escape were fascinating. Four "teams of political personages prepared to leave the country at extremely brief intervals. Two passed through Germany's Soviet zone into the British zone; one went by Sweden; the fourth through Czechoslovakia.

Mikolajczyk, after a meeting with his peasant deputies, went to a house where he was given, as sole disguise, a hat and coat entirely different from his usual clothing. He left by the back door, went to the railroad station, rode a train to a border city in the Soviet zone. There MIKOLAJCZYK he hid out until he received word from the other "teams." Having left first, his was the longest wait.

The second team into Germany and the team into Sweden arrived safely. The team exiting through Czechoslovakia, comprising a woman and two men, was apprehended by the Czech police, whose boss, the Minister of the Interior, is a Communist. So they were returned to sure death or long imprisonment in Poland. After this sad news, Mr. Mikolajczyk crossed into the British zone and finally arrived in England.

On the surface this sounds simple. But the Polish leader is a great national hero, his photographs are plastered on walls and hung in Polish houses, his face is almost as well known as the buffalo on our nickel. So he ran the most exquisite risk of detection, crossing two borders closely watched by Communist police, hiding out for more than a week in a private house in the midst of the Soviet zone.

Likes Washington

MR. MIKOLAJCZYK got a great kick out of Washington. He breakfasted with Congressmen, went to a Press Club luncheon, was introduced at the Gridiron dinner. He speaks perfect English, incidentally, having picked it up during his wartime stay in London with the Polish government in exile.

A farmer before plunging into politics, he hails from western Poland, in the Poznan section of Silesia. His presence in this country, the mere fact he's alive and able to work for their freedom, is of the greatest satisfaction to the Poles.

Right now he's busy with a book and hopes to complete its rough draft within a week. The book will be rushed through the presses. After that he has writing and speaking commitments ad infinitum. Mme. Mikolajczyk, by the way, is remaining in England until spring, when their son finishes his university schooling.

Redskin Showmanship

WASHINGTON'S professional football season wound up happily with the local Redskins slogging to triumph over Boston in a muddy quagmire. It was an elegant occasion with Georgetown University's Castiglia, his broken nose encaged in a medieval wire contraption, bucking the line in sensational fashion.

During the half the audience was treated to music by the Shoreham's Barnee, all dolled up in a white-feathered headdress, his musicians tooting in a tepee atop the grandstand; a drill of the Redskins' 150-piece, all-volunteer brass band; two giant snowmen, at least 10 feet high, waddling onto the gridiron; tap dancers strutting on a huge drum carried by dwarves; and, of all things, Santa Claus catapulted from a helicopter! Then, as a finale, the whole grandstand was doused with confetti "snow"!

Unfortunately, the helicopter swung in too fast, dropped Santa outside the arena. But Corinne Griffith, wife of Redskins' owner, George Marshall, who plans the shows, had prepared for just such an emergency—a second Santa wascealed behind the stand, larruped in in a sleigh drawn by a white horse!

MRS. JONES

It was all wonderful fun and, among the fans were such nabobs as former Secretary of State Jimmy Byrnes, who sat throughout the game gloveless; Jesse Jones and his lady, she wrapped in the most magnificent mink coat in the Capital with a mink-trimmed hat atop her careful coiffure; and "Mike" Elizalde, the Philippine Ambassador who's the Diplomatic Corps' most enthusiastic football fan.

Mrs. Marshall, incidentally, has the neatest gadget for outdoors spectator sports, a steamer rug with a zipper. She steps into it, yanks the zipper, pulls her fur coat around and is cozier than that overworked bug in a rug!

Mrs. Anne Cote Luncheon Hostess

MRS. ANNE COTE, treasurer of the District of Columbia League of Republican Women, was hostess yesterday at a luncheon given in her apartment at 3121 16th st. nw.

Guests included Mrs. Joseph R. Farrington, wife of the delegate from Hawaii and president of the league; Mrs. Lindsey P. Rawley, Mrs. Samuel A. Alexander, Mrs. Morris Townsend, Mrs. Chester C. Caywood, Mrs. Roger L. Lewis, Mrs. John Reid, Mrs. C. W. Thompson and Mrs. I. J. Superfine.

Children's Gifts Sent to Europe by Aid to France

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Miss Randall, a popular member of the younger service set, is the daughter of Col. Joseph F. Randall and the late Mrs. Randall. Born in Washington, she was educated here and in New York and returned recently from Berlin, where she held an executive position with the United States Military Government.

Colonel Pence, son of Mrs. William P. Pence of Falls Church, Va., and the late Major Pence, is a graduate of the United States Military Academy and is now attending the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

Sunday evening Colonel Pence and Miss Randall were honored at a cocktail party given by Comdr. William Wiggering, who will be best man. Others who have entertained for the couple are the bride-elect's sister, Mrs. Charles Proctor; her aunt, Mrs. Inez Foley; the prospective bridegroom's uncle, Admiral Arthur W. Dunbar, and Mrs. Dunbar; Mrs. Baxter Russell, and Mrs. William Bayer.

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Eating Tools May Intrigue Little Hands

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

When a child reaches the age at which he has some command over the tools of eating, he is apt to mis-use them. A cup can be turned up as well as held on the level or a spoon can be pointed in any direction. Experimentation with these utensils is to be expected when the child is given them to use. It would be unsatisfactory and dull just to lift them to his lips in the prescribed way.

Mrs. F. I. W. jr., writes, "My baby has developed a very annoying habit. I do not know what motivates it, nor how to correct it. He is almost 2 years old and for the past month he has, at intervals, suddenly and deliberately turned his cup of milk upside down and spilled it on the floor.

"We have treated this behavior in various ways. We have ignored it. We have wiped up the milk calmly. We have given him small amounts in the cup. We have removed him from his highchair. We have even—and I know this is the wrong answer—slapped his hands.

"Can you tell me how to handle this situation?"

I would keep the cup outside his reach and give him a few swallows of milk as he seems to need them. Let him forget this behavior before you let him handle the cup again.

Meanwhile, let him have spoons and cups to play with and use in all kinds of ways. A bowl of water and a cup and spoon, or a bowl of sawdust or sand, will show him the different ways in which a cup may be used. He'll get his fill of dumping and then when he comes to the table he won't be inspired to use his feeding spoon or cup in this undesirable way.

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Ask Anne — Your Questions on Homemaking

What is the best way to clean hair brushes that have been unused for a while? M. G. D.

Wash your hair brush in warm water and mild soap, rubbing the soap well into the bristles with your hand. If the bristles are matted down or crushed, comb out with a coarse comb while they are wet. It is usually a good idea to wash the brush and comb at the same time. The brush will help to clean the comb and visa versa. When thoroughly clean, rinse the brush well and place in a sunny place to dry, bristles up.

I wonder if you could help me find the names and address of the makers of a knife and fork set. The knife has the trade name "Cattaraugus Vanadium" inscribed on its blade. I received a set as a gift in 1939 and the knife is wearing out. It is my favorite kitchen utensil and I would like to replace it with an identical one if possible. R. E. C.

The knife you would like to duplicate was made by the Ekco Products Co., Chicago, Ill. Why not send a description of the knife, or the knife itself, to them for duplication?

Do you know what causes "electricity" in some clothes, and what to do about it? I just bought a black flannel wool (100 per cent) ballerina skirt, and have worn it about five or six times, and it's developed so much electricity it can't be worn any more. It just sticks right to me. I've tried it on with every slip I own, so I don't think that is what is causing it. J. A. N.

There doesn't seem to be any "for sure" answer to your problem. Several ideas have been suggested to me and I'll pass them along, hoping it will help you work out a solution. Some fibers have a greater tendency to develop static electricity than others. Acetate rayon is about the most likely to, cotton the least. Temperature and atmospheric conditions enter into the matter. Electricity develops fastest in cold, dry weather. Individuals differ in the amount of electricity in their bodies, too. A very full skirt tends to build up electricity faster because of the motion of the skirt. Now, what to do about it? If you haven't already, try wearing a cotton slip with your skirt. Always snap the garment when you take it off to dispel the electricity. While you're wearing it, brush it occasionally with a quick, snapping stroke to get rid of the electric charge for awhile. Someone has advanced the suggestion that if you would sew a piece of Christmas tinsel to your underskirt it would dispel the electricity. Such an idea is used on mimeographing machines to prevent the sheets of the paper from sticking together due to electricity.

How should I refinish my flax spinning wheel to its original finish (whatever that was)? It had more recently been refinished with varnish which I removed. Now the wheel is a greyish, colorless wood, with that dried-out look.

An expert at the Smithsonian Institution says that, in early times, spinning wheels were made of whatever wood was available—oak, birch, walnut, and even some of the woods from fruit trees. For finish, they were probably rubbed with oil or wax. With constant use, the finish acquired a soft sheen. It may be that the varnish remover you used has caused the grayish color. Great care must be taken when using these removers, to get them off the wood the instant the varnish has been softened. If allowed to remain longer, they penetrate the wood, and affect the color. You can obtain a finish like the original one by rubbing the wheel thoroughly with linseed oil. This is resistant to usage and improves with buffing. Sand the piece smooth with sandpaper, brush away the dust, and apply the oil directly to the raw wood. Allow to stand several hours, then wipe the surplus away. After some days, with daily rubbings, another coat of oil should be applied and given the same treatment. Further applications should be made at intervals until no more oil is absorbed. The frequent and hard rubbings of the wood will develop a gloss which will continue to develop with further rubbings. If the color of the wood as it now is doesn't please you, apply an oil stain in the color you wish before starting to apply the oil. Brush on the stain and wipe off when it reaches the depth of tone you wish. If you do not care to spend the time and work required to get a sheen with oil, then apply paste wax when the stain is well dried.

Can you tell me what will remove mildew spots from the top of my freeze-box, which is installed in the cellar. I have tried cleaning with ammonia and kitchen cleanser, but that didn't do the job. F. C. L.

Since you did not say what material your freeze-box is made of, it is difficult to offer a suggestion as to how the mildew spots can be removed from it. Possibly saturating a cloth with household bleach and placing over the spot would remove it. If it is a painted surface, do not leave the cloth saturated in bleach on the stain, but sponge it lightly and rinse immediately with clear water. To prevent further mildew, you might use one of the mildewproofing liquids on the market. Follow the directions for applying which come with the product.

Tempera paint was spilled on a glazed chintz bedspread. Most of the stain was removed with cold water. However, the sheen has disappeared in the spots where I washed the spread. Is there anyway that the sheen can be restored? As a temporary remedy I thought of clear nail polish, but hesitate using it. J. W. L'H.

Even the most durable glazed chintz fabrics are apt to lose their crispness and sheen with use and application of water since the glaze is only a surface finish. Since the glaze has been removed in spots, the only way to remove the spotty appearance would be to wash the entire spread and lightly starch it, which will restore the glaze all over the spread to some degree. Wash the spread for a short washing period in lukewarm water and mild soap. Rinse well and starch with a light starch. Dry the spread completely and redampen it for ironing. The pressure and heat of the iron will bring up the glaze. Using nail polish would be unwise, for when it became necessary to wash the spread, I'm afraid the polish would cause trouble, especially when it was ironed.

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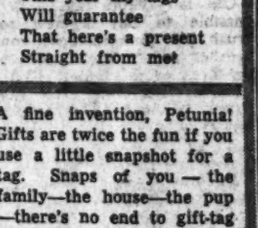

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Doings of the Day . . .

Two Army daughters will be presented silver cups nearly their own size in a ceremony at 3 p. m. at Fort Myer Hospital. The presentation will be made by the DAUGHTERS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY and recipients are the first baby girls born at the station hospital, 4-month-old Patricia La Verne Sanders, daughter of Sergt. and Mrs. Elden L. Sanders, and the first baby girl born there since the Daughters began their nurses' aide program at the hospital, 2-month-old Carol Elizabeth Cooke, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Thomas R. Cook, jr. . . .

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF PATRIOTIC WOMEN OF AMERICA, INC., D. C. State Council, has scheduled its Christmas party for 8 p. m. in the French Room at 2400 16th st. nw. Mrs. Irene Caldwell, District chairman of Save the Children Federation, will be guest of honor and Miss Margaret Louis O'Brien, president of the council, will preside. . . .

Miss Mary Fulton will entertain the business group of DELTA DELTA DELTA SORORITY at a Christmas party, 8 p. m. at her home 5510 33d st. nw. . . . PI BETA PHI JUNIOR ALUMS will have a Christmas party at 8 p. m. at the home of Charlotte Patterson.

Columbian Women Ask Doyle Appointment

The Columbian Women of George Washington University at its meeting Saturday passed a resolution advocating that Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, past president of the organization, be named to the District Board of Commissioners. A letter urging Mrs. Doyle's appointment was sent to President Truman.

In another motion, the Columbian Women voted to send flowers to Children's Hospital on December 22 in the name of Miss Margaret Truman. A member of the club, Miss Truman requested that instead of sending flowers to her the night of her concert here to send them to the hospital instead.

Dinner Dance To Fete Doctors

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Medical Society of the District of Columbia will give a dinner dance tomorrow evening at the Mayflower Hotel at 7:30 to welcome home returning doctors from the armed forces and new members of the society.

Mrs. William Herbst is chairman of the committee and other members are Mrs. Fred Sanderson, Mrs. Edward Cummings, Mrs. John Shugrue, Mrs. Marcel Foret and Mrs. Harry Zehner.

Officers of the auxiliary are Mrs. Robert Moran, president; Mrs. Edward Cummings, vice president; Mrs. George Crofton, treasurer; Mrs. John Morris, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Richard Dunkley, recording secretary.

By Tom Kelley—The Washington Post

"Food is an obsession with the starving Austrians," announces the former Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary (standing) while Mrs. Norman Littell, club program chairman (seated at left) listens attentively. Zita made her dramatic plea for the people of Austria in a luncheon address yesterday before some 200 members and guests of the Woman's National Democratic Club

Pleads for Food, Clothing

Austria's Need Desperate, Zita Tells Democratic Club

By Genevieve Reynolds

"IT'S SHOCKING the way the misery of Austria is ignored in world conferences," declared the former Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary, in a luncheon address yesterday at the Woman's National Democratic Club.

Fear and hunger stalk the population . . . Communist Russians are trying to impose Moscow's will on the Austrian government . . . the people are afraid that the Russians will move into all parts of the country when the Allies move out, she told some 200 club members and their guests.

Then in a quiet, dramatic voice she read a series of letters revealing the plight of the Austrian people. One person wrote, "We get food for about six meals per week. The 1500 daily calories allotted are only theoretical."

Another wrote: "The displaced persons sent to the Russian zones are killed or deported to Siberia. So nobody inquires where anyone comes from. We take in all strangers. If there is no food, and most times there isn't, we let the man or woman stay in our home, sleep on the floor, and join our family circle. Our only requirement is that we request the people to pretend to be gay in front of the children.

One lady wrote that it is impossible to buy a new tooth brush, hair pins, shampoo, combs, brushes, and for eight years there has been no toilet soap. But she tries to make some sort of substitute by cooking old bones with ivy leaves.

Infants Die of Hunger

In lower Austria 300 deaths occur out of 336 births, and in one town six out of 10 babies born die the first day, according to the former empress. "When young mothers bring their children to the town hall for food and medicine, they can see babies lying around dead because of hunger," she said.

"Schools have no doors, windows or staircases, no heat, no brooms, no medicine or china," she said. "Children collapse from hunger. Shoes and underwear are practically nonexistent."

"Deaths from tuberculosis are five times higher than at any other time," she continued. "Nurses in hospitals have to work without shoes. Doctors have to operate in homes without being able to alleviate pain because there is no anesthesia."

Asks CARE Aid

The former Empress Zita discussed the work of CARITAS—an organization in Austria that attempts to feed families in the most desperate straits. She pointed out that CARE packages sent to CARITAS have been the difference between life and death for several families, and appealed to the audience to send CARE packages. Then she called upon the women to send whatever used clothing and shoes they could spare plus cans of nourishing food.

She said that parcels sent to the Russian zone arrive because the Communists do not want the Americans to know how the people starve there.

At the conclusion of Zita's stirring appeal for food and clothing, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, club president, asked if members would bring presents for Austria to the Christmas tea scheduled for today, 4:30 to 6:30 p. m. Throughout the club voices thundered, "yes."

Home Work Needs a Routine

Establish a place where the school books are to be put as soon as they enter the house. It avoids much searching and worry later on when the home work must be done.

Establish a definite place where the child is to do his home work, a place with a good light, plenty of space and where there is quiet. The child who does his home work with a radio going full blast does not retain his work long.

Before the home work is started be sure the child washes his hands. So many noble efforts in the line of home work have been ruined by smudgy fingerprints around the edges of the paper.

Finally, see that the home work is done at an early hour so that it is completed and the child has 15 minutes of relaxation before attempting sleep.

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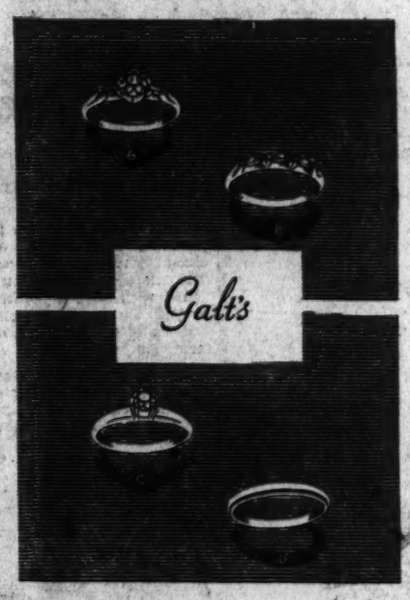

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Walkers to Spend Christmas Here

Mr. and Mrs. F. Henry Jones will have with them for the holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Walker of Chicago who will arrive December 24. Mrs. Walker is the former Emilie Letts Jones. With Mrs. Walker will be her young daughter, Catharine Letts Walker, who will make her first visit to her grandparents in their Washington home.

MISS PHYLLIS HOYLAND
. . . to sing here

Miss Hoyland To Give Recital At Roland Park

Miss Phyllis Hoyland, dramatic soprano, winner of the 1946 national auditions of the Chamber Music Guild, will give a recital at the Christmas party of the Roland Woman's Club of Roland Park on December 18.

Fo rthe occasion Miss Hoyland will wear a gown of imported lame, designed for her by Philip Robertson of this city. Miss Hoyland, who is 19, an da tall, willowy blond, is the daughter of Mrs. Frances B. Hayland, secretary to Representative George H. Fallon of Maryland.

Since winning the national auditions she has been studying voice with Romano Romani of New York the man who coached Rosa Ponselle. She has had several Washington recitals this winter, the first being on November 5, when she sang with the Symphony Orchestra at Constitution Hall. No November 30 she appeared with the Baltimore Symphony at the Lyric Theater.

Her program Thursday will include numbers in Italian, French, German and English by Handel, Donaudy, Puccini, Gounod, Massenet and Wagner. She will be accompanied by Mr. Romani.

Mrs. Davis Convalescing

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2 eggs, well beaten
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1½ tsps. baking powder
½ tsp. salt
2 cups chopped nut meats

• Melt shortening and stir sugar in well. Cool slightly and stir in eggs. Mix and sift dry ingredients, add nut meats and combine with first mixture. Chill half an hour and drop by teaspoonfuls, several inches apart, on greased baking sheet. Bake in slow oven (325° F.) about 25 minutes. Cool half a minute and remove with spatula. If cookies harden on sheet, return to oven briefly. 7 to 8 dozen small cookies.

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1¾ cups sifted flour
¼ tsp. salt
½ tsp. soda
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1 egg, well beaten
½ cup buttermilk
½ cup melted butter
3 sqs. chocolate, melted
1 tsp. vanilla

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Center background . . . iridescent beauty in full swing coat of rayon, treated with "Cravenette" water repellents. Pigeon-feather purple, brown or green, **$29.75**

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i . . . "Darling," truly an angel child portrayed in china $15
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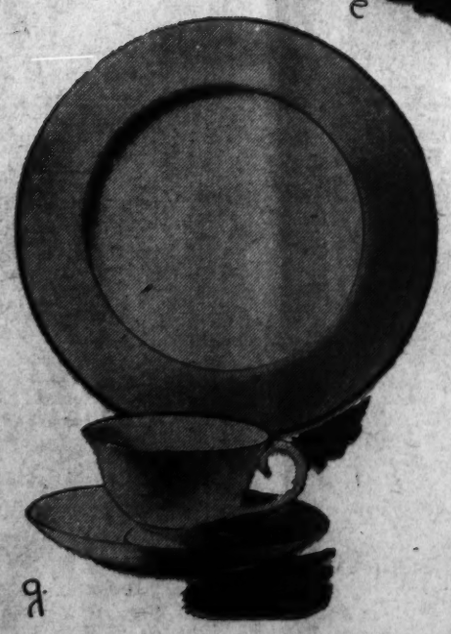

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AT the party given yesterday by the D. C. Council of Jewish Women are (left to right) Mrs. Moses Cahn, national vice president; Mrs. Lewis Sycle and Mrs. Simon Eichberg. Mrs. Eichberg was hostess for the afternoon and Mrs. Cahn was guest speaker

Jewish Women Hear Plea For Aid to Displaced Persons

Mrs. Moses S. Cahn, vice president, National Council of Jewish Women, yesterday made a strong appeal for support o the Stratton Bill to admit 400,000 Displaced Persons into the United States over a four year period.

She made her appeal following a talk on the "Educational and Service Program of the NCJ" at a benefit bric-a-brac cocktail party given by the D. C. Section of the Council at the home of Mrs. Simon Eichberg. The party was held to raise funds for the local council's economy shop at 1650 Park rd. nw., which provides money for the Washington group's contribution to the National Council's various national and overseas projects.

Mrs. Cahn told of visiting Displaced Persons Camps in Germany during a visit to Europe last summer. Pointing out that UNRRA help had ended and the IRO was handicapped by a limited budget, she said that tshe found camp conditions generally bad. "Diets are unbalanced and living conditions are crowded," she explained.

Fifty unattached girls whose families were liquidated by the Nazis found a haven in a Paris home recently established by the NCJW, according to Mrs. Cahn, who went to France for the dedication of the home. "Many of the girls still have concentration camp numbers branded on their arms," she said. "While the girls have jobs, their salaries are inadequate for living," she said. She also described a similar girls' home set up by the council in Athens.

One hundred and seventy-five sections of the national council supply toys, games and comforts to 145 child care centers as part of its "eship-a-box" overseas service to 11 European countries. In addition, the council, through its scholarship program, brought 22 young European women to the United States to study nursing, recreation, nutrition and other related social service subjects. At the completion of the courses, they will return to assist in rehabilitating their native countries.

Mrs. Theodore D. Peyser, District section president, presided.

Has the New York Look Caught You Short?

The "long" and the "short" of it in today's clothing prices will be demonstrated in a fashion show to be held tomorrow at the YWCA, Barker Hall. It will be staged by the Washington Committee for Consumer Protection which is currently engaged in a campaign for price control, roll-back of prices and rationing of goods in short supply.

Title for the show is "Has the New Look Caught You Short?" It will be preceded by a luncheon at 12:30 p. m. and also on the program is a skit and song parodies in which members of the committee will participate. Mrs. Sarah Newman is president of the committee.

Guests of honor will be Mrs. Leon Henderson Mrs. Ernest K. Lindley, Mrs. Claude Pepper, Mrs. Mary Cole Gregory, director of the Phyllis Wheatley "Y" Annex, and Mrs. Julia West Hamilton, president of the board of the Phyllis Wheatley "Y."

Arthur D. Condons Fly to West Indies

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Condon of Washington and Edgewater, Md., left Friday for to Martinique, French West Indies, to spend Christmas with Mrs. Condon's son and daughter-in-law, American Consul and Mrs. Frederick Drum Hunt.

En route to Martinique, Mr. and Mrs. Condon will visit friends in San Juan, Trujillo City and St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

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Boy's Club Auxiliary Plans Christmas 'Packing Party'

Meeting for luncheon at the Mayflower, members of the Women's Auxiliary of the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club discuss plans for the annual Christmas distribution of candy to boys of the six clubs in the Washington area. Holding the book showing receipts are Mrs. Joseph L. Arnold, left, auxiliary president, and Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, founder. Looking over their shoulders are, left to right, Mrs. Roger Lewis, Mrs. Thornton W. Owen, and Mrs. Chester Caywood, chairman of the club drive which begins next month. The auxiliary will hold its "packing party" tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Leo DeOrsey

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo DeOrsey, 3522 Rittenhouse st. nw., today resembles a candy factory—in readiness for the annual Christmas "packing party" tomorrow of the Women's Auxiliary of the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club.

Gathering at 10 a. m., members of the auxiliary will don gay pinafores and set to work in the DeOrseys' spacious recreation room, which is stacked high with children's favorite sweets—including 15,000 pieces of candy and 3000 boxes of crackerjack. These treats will be packaged in 5-pound lots in cellophane bags and tied with bright ribbon donated by Mrs. W. B. Wender.

The candy will be presented to the several thousand boys who belong to the club during their annual Yuletide parties on Christmas Eve at the six clubhouses in the Washington area.

Following tomorrow's packing party, Mrs. DeOrsey will entertain the workers at luncheon.

Officers of the auxiliary include Mrs. Joseph L. Arnold, president; Mrs. Harvey L. Miller, first vice president; Mrs. George Wenzel, newly elected second vice president; Mrs. Ray Harper, recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Basseches, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Hugh House, treasurer. All will participate in the packing and delivery of the candy.

Packers tomorrow also will include Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, founder of the auxiliary; Mrs. Ernest W. Brown, wife of the former chief of police, who founded the Boys' Club in 1934; Mrs. Thomas Amatucci, Mrs. J. E. Andrews, Mrs. E. O. Carl, Mrs. R. Colbert, Mrs. Anne Cote, Mrs. C. W. Camalier, Mrs. Leon Chatelain, Mrs. Chester Caywood, Mrs. M. J. Davis, Mrs. R. E. Dunkley, Mrs. G. H. LeBruler, Mrs. G. S. Fraser, Mrs. William H. Gillam, Mrs. R. F. Harper, Mrs. F. J. Kane, Mrs. Robert Lynch, Mrs. A. W. Lee, Mrs. Roger L. Lewis, Mrs. F. H. Mallee, Mrs. T. W. Owen, Mrs. R. L. Ryan, Mrs. E. B. Rouse, Mrs. J. M. Schaffer, Mrs. Evan A. Sholl, Mrs. Warren Stoops, Mrs. G. Sullivan, Mrs. Irving Tennyson, Mrs. W. B. Wender and Mrs. W. O. Wooley.

Lemons Return

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lemon have returned from their stay at the Hollywood Beach Hotel in Florida, where Mr. Lemon was attending the Investment Bankers Association convention.

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YULETIDE GLAMOUR In a sheer wool with nail-head-studded conversation "pocket." Seafoam green, grey, blue. 14-20. $12.95

Congressman, D. C. Official On 'Fixed' Traffic Ticket List

A congressman and a District official were among 133 motorists who had traffic tickets "fixed" last week.

The total represented an increase of 10 over the previous week. Cancellations dropped from 23 to 17, but warnings rose from 100 to 116, according to the lists sent in from the precincts.

The congressman was Representative Charles J. Kersten (R., Wis.). The record showed that his ticket, for parking in a 7 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. no-parking zone, was canceled because of "official congressional business."

Harry S. Wender, chairman of the District Recreation Board, attorney and civic leader, of 6432 31st st. nw., was warned about parking in a space reserved for the head of the Police Auto Squad. He "did not know of violation."

Among eight cancellations because of diplomatic immunity was the name of Ivan G. Nagy, first secretary of the Hungarian Legation.

Among motorists given warnings, were three ministers on calls, two doctors on emergency calls, a nurse, a school teacher, and a Park policeman on official business.

Tickets were adjusted for 21 motorists.

Warnings were issued to nine motorists who pleaded ignorance of the regulations and to seven, because they had received no previous warnings.

One woman was granted a warning on a ticket she received for parking in a "no parking from 4 to 6:30 p. m." zone after she told police she misjudged the time because her watch was slow.

Another motorist received a warning for parking less than 40 feet from the intersection after he explained that his car was loaded with fruit cakes and he wanted to keep it in sight because he could not lock the doors.

Following are totals for the traffic and harbor divisions and the precincts for the week ended December 14:

Traffic Division—16 warnings; 5 cancellations.

Harbor Precinct—No warnings; no cancellations.

First Precinct—9 warnings; 1 cancellation.

Second Precinct—8 warnings; no cancellations.

Third Precinct—12 warnings; 1 cancellation.

Fourth Precinct—8 warnings; no cancellations.

Fifth Precinct—7 warnings; no cancellations.

Sixth Precinct—8 warnings; no cancellations.

Seventh Precinct—4 warnings; no cancellations.

Eighth Precinct—2 warnings; no cancellations.

Ninth Precinct—3 warnings; no cancellations.

Tenth Precinct—23 warnings; 3 cancellations.

Twelfth Precinct—3 warnings; no cancellations.

Thirteentht Precinct—10 warnings; 3 cancellations.

School Notes:

Slacks Get Prize Pupil 'No' Again

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
JEANETTE DELAHUNT,

Camden, N. Y., Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Honor Student Jeanette Delahunt, 14, wearing slacks and with her father along to back up her right to wear them, went back to school today—but she didn't stay long.

Principal Donald H. Barker sent Jeanette home two weeks ago because she showed up in brown wool trousers instead of a dress. Today, he said, Jeanette could come to school, but she could not attend the regular eighth grade classes with the other boys and girls. She would be supplied with an individual instructor.

That made Jeanette's dad, Thomas Delahunt, madder than ever, and he yanked his daughter right back home and announced he would file discrimination charges with the board of education.

"It gets cold up here," he said, "and as long as a girl wears clothes that are clean and decent no principal should keep her out of school."

Barker replied that Jeanette was subject to treatment as a truant if she stayed away from school.

Susie Q

"The one underneath is Owlie . . . he's upholding my fair name!"

It Takes Pull Against Gravity To Keep Yourself Streamlined

By Ida Jean Kain

Since streamlining depends on counteracting gravity, let's see how to go about it. The center of gravity, as far as the balanced lineup of the figure is concerned, is in the pelvic girdle. To be exact, it lies toward the front of the lowest bone of the spinal column which directly connects with the pelvis. Don't go away confused—all this is basic to making your posture "self-supporting," with no strain or tugging at the connections.

Those glib instructions to "pull your hips down and under, and pull the abdominal muscles up and in" may not have much meaning for you, but actually this muscular motion gets the center of gravity right where it belongs.

Also it may seem far-fetched to connect hip muscles with correct alignment, but the hip muscles are responsible for keeping the pelvis pushed forward directly under the figure.

Follow through by pulling up with the muscles of the abdomen. These muscles are capable of two actions—they pull up and they pull in. You know all about pulling your stomach in, but the up pull is equally important. Since these muscles are attached to the ribs, lifting your chest—not your shoulders—elevates the ribs and centers the pull through the midsection. See, it's streamlining.

To test, stand sideways to a full-length mirror, and slim yourself up by pulling up with the abdominals, and down and under with the hips. Now you're on the beam . . .

Here's a couple of straightener-outers:

POSITION: Lie on back, with knees flexed, soles on floor, arms outstretched at shoulder level, elbows bent and arms up to form an L. This keeps shoulders flat.

MOVEMENT: Pull firmly up with abdominal muscles and press small of back against floor. Hold . . . Relax and repeat several times.

To flatten stomach and tone hip muscles:

POSITION: Lie on side on floor, head pillowed on under arm, legs straight down.

MOVEMENT: Raise legs slightly off floor for clearance, and shuttle into action—move the legs like a pair of shears. Repeat 12 times, later 25, on each side.

Keep in mind that there is no better exercise than the practice of good posture. If you will follow through with this up and in pull and chest lifted as you sit, stand and walk . . . gravity can't win!

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FBI Questions Murray on CIO Political Activity

By the United Press

The Congress of Industrial Organizations reported yesterday that President Philip Murray again has been questioned by FBI agents about his deliberate challenge of the Taft-Hartley law ban on union political activity.

Its official publication, the CIO News, said a legal test of the new provision "appears likely" as a result of the FBI visit.

The Justice Department confirmed that the case is under study, but it refused to divulge what progress is being made or whether criminal indictments of Murray and the CIO will be sought.

If convicted, Murray would face a $1000 fine and a year's imprisonment and the CIO could be fined $5000.

Electrical Union Plans Pay Demand

New York, Dec. 15.—Demands for a new round of wage increases for 300,000 industrial workers were forecast today by union officials after a two-day meeting of the general executive board of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers (CIO).

In the wake of a union statement that "there is little hope that price reductions are in the cards for the immediate future and a wage increase is needed at once," a conference was called for January 5 to draw up new contract demands on major manufacturers.

Teacher Wins $25,000 For Old Symphony

Detroit, Dec. 15 (AP).—A 51-year-old Utah music professor tonight received a $25,000 check for a symphony he wrote 10 years ago and which he heard played for the first time only a few days ago.

The check was presented to Leroy J. Robertson, professor of music at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, for his composition "Trilogy," winner of the Henry H. Reichhold Symphonic Award.

UNRRA Reduces China Workers, 1383 to 330

Shanghai, China, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Forty-one more American UNRRA employes are scheduled to sail for the United States tomorrow aboard the Marine Adder, reducing to 330 the number of UNRRA personnel still in China, it was announced today.

Harford County Seeks to Toss Out Taxpayers' Suit

Bel Air, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Harford County's Board of Commissioners today asked the Circuit Court to throw out a suit by eight taxpayers attacking validity of the tax levy which goes into effect January 1.

In a demurrer answering the bill of complaint filed by the taxpayers, the commissioners alleged their opponents had failed to present sufficient facts to justify court action and contended the levy was correctly established.

The court set a hearing for Saturday morning on their demurrer.

The answer was signed by only two of the three county commissioners—Hugh Laird and W. Lee Linkus. The other member is Milton Walker.

Williamsburg Prepares For Garden Symposium

Williamsburg, Va., Dec. 15 (Spl.). Eleven States are represented in registration for the second Colonial Williamsburg Garden and Flower Symposium to be held here next month. Officials are preparing for capacity attendance at the lectures, discussion periods, exhibits and garden tours.

The 1948 symposium, following the pattern of the first last January, will be held in two sections of identical programs from January 19 through January 23 and from January 26 through January 30. Experts in landscape architecture, floriculture, flower arrangement and allied subjects will give illustrated lectures and lead discussions.

Crowds in Sofia Hail Premier of Albania

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 15 (AP).—Premier Gen. Enver Hoxha arrived in Sofia today at the head of an Albanian delegation on a state visit. Crowds shouted "Hoxha, Tito, Dimitrov," hailing the leaders of Albania, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria.

Communist Premier Georgi Dimitrov of Bulgaria said in an address from the balcony of the ministerial building that the Balkan peoples have decided to "build a granite front from the Black Sea to the Adriatic, from Varna via Sofia, Belgrade and Tirana, one granite front of freedom, democracy and lasting peace as part of the front of anti-imperialist forces."

Hearing Changed In Ridgely Death

Denton, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Preliminary hearing of manslaughter charges against Carroll F. Bright, 43-year-old Denton postoffice worker, in the death of Ridgely druggist, was transferred today to another magistrate and set for 10 a. m. Wednesday.

Bright had been scheduled to appear today before Magistrate William J. Rickards to answer the charge filed after the death of John B. Davis, 75, at Ridgely December 8. He requested the change of venue and will now appear before Magistrate Charles Dobson at Federalsburg.

Davis was killed by an automobile while crossing Ridgely's main street.

Princess, Duke Back For King's Birthday

London, Dec. 15.—King George VI was 52 today, and his daughter, Princess Elizabeth, and Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburg, their honeymoon at an end, came from Scotland to attend a family celebration at the Royal Lodge at Windsor.

Dr. Waters to Speak

Leonardtown, Md., Dec. 15.—Dr. George Waters, St. Marys County health commissioner, will speak at the pre-Christmas meeting of the Frank Knox Parent-Teachers Association at 7:30 Wednesday at the school.

Long, Drawn-Out Suspense of Christmas May Be Too Much for the Young Child

Preschool children should not be kept in suspense for more than a week about Christmas or birthday surprises, advises Rhoda W. Bacmeister, writing on "Secrets and S'prises" in the December issue of the American Home.

Children, Miss Bacmeister says, cannot stand as much excitement as adults. Their nerves may be strained too much by the thrills and chills of secrets and surprises. In the case of very small youngsters, parents should think in terms of minutes or hours when keeping them in suspense.

The child's temperament should always be considered, she suggests. Whether to tell Johnny outright that he's going to get a football for Christmas, or merely hint that he will, or to keep him entirely in the dark until he receives the gift is a problem each parent must figure out on the basis of Johnny's temperament.

Adults shouldn't expect too much of children in keeping secrets with which they have been entrusted, Miss Bacmeister asserts. They should remember that it's fun to tell secrets.

The trouble with secrets, she says, is that they develop inner tensions and provide no outlet in action—and excitement and emotion need outlets. If too much emphasis is put on keeping secrets and the children forget and tell all, it may cause a guilty feeling and unhappiness.

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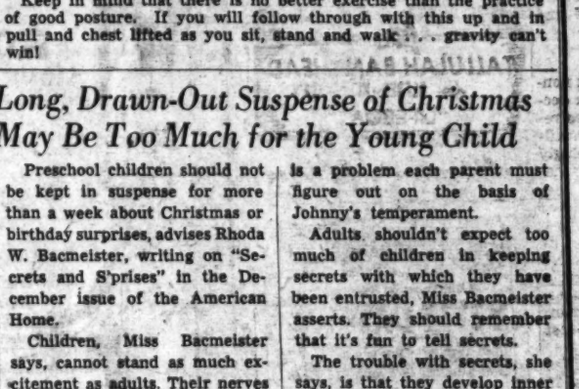

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Catholic University—"Jenny Kissed Me," a new comedy by Jean Kerr, at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque continuous from 12 noon to 2 p. m. and 6:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Warner—"Jezebel," Bette Davis in a repeat of her Academy Award role—a pre-Civil War beauty, at 11:30 a. m., 1:35, 3:40, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.

Palace—"Where There's Life," Bob Hope frivolities, with Signe Hasso and William Bendix, at 11:35 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Capitol—"Pirates of Monterey," Maria Montez and Rod Cameron protect California from colonial treachery, at 12 a. m., 1:45, 4:00, 7:20 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Secret Life of Walter Mitty," Danny Kaye in a musical film version of James Thurber's comic story with Virginia Mayo, at 10:40 a. m., 1, 3:15, 5:30, 7:45 and 10 p. m.

Metropolitan—"The Doctor Takes a Wife," Loretta Young and Ray Milland in a comic release, at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:15, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Song of Love," musical biography of the Robert Schumanns' with Katharine Hepburn and a notable score, at 10:45 a. m., 12:55, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Little—"Torment," a prize-winning Swedish film about a boy's first steps into manhood, at 12:35, 3:40, 6:45 and 9:55 p. m. "Lifeboat," at 11 a. m., 2:05, 5:10 and 8:15 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Green for Danger," a mystery yarn from the makers of "The Lady Vanishes," at 2:10, 4:00, 6, 7:51 and 9:42 p. m.

Fox—"Scarface," at 2, 5:10 and 8:20 p. m. "Hell's Angels," at 3:30, 6:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Ambassador—"Jezebel," at 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Short subjects and news reels, continuous from 10:15 a. m. to 12 midnight.

Wants Finland Debt To Aid Finn Students

Senator H. Alexander Smith (R., N. J.) and a bipartisan Senate group yesterday introduced legislation earmarking further payments by finland on her World War I debt for education of Finnish students in the United States.

The resolution would set aside Finnish payments on principal and interest in a special fund to pay transportation, tuition and expenses for Finnish students in American technical schools and provide "a new generation of

'Free Greek Rule' Reported by Reds

London (Tuesday), Dec. 16 (AP).—The Soviet news agency Tass said today in a dispatch from Rome that Nicholas Zachiarides, Greek Communist leader, had predicted in a radio broadcast that "the creation of a free democratic government in free Greece is a matter of the next few days."

A Shilling for a Wit

44-Year-Old Hit 'Enriches' GBS

By Richard L. Coe

BROADWAY'S WITTIEST COMEDY is 44 years old and, what's more, is coining its author higher royalties than anyone else is getting on the Main Stem.

The comedy is "Man and Superman" and the author, of course, George Bernard Shaw, the 91-year-old Irishman. Maurice Evans has given the play a sparkling production and you couldn't ask for a wittier evening.

The story is the female's pursuit of the male, a thesis the 47-year-old Shaw dedicated to the famed critic of the London Times, Arthur Bingham Walkley. Walkley has asked him why he did not write a "Don Juan play," and Shaw got around to his request with this story of a wise woman's pursuit of the reluctant John Tanner.

The wit gleams from the rise of the curtain. With stuffy reverence, "a more than respectable man" is lamenting the death of a man who has made him guardian of his daughter. Ann, being a daughter of spirit, has seen to it that her wardship will be shared—by the man she's set her cap for. Before Tanner's capitulation, Shaw has given us several hours of dry comic genius.

As his own director, Evans has lived up to Shaw's always voluminous directions. Of Ann, Shaw's directions state:

"She inspires confidence as a person who will do nothing she does not mean to do; also some fear, perhaps, as a woman who will probably do everything she means to do without taking more account of other people than may be necessary and what she calls right. In short, what the weaker of her own sex sometimes calls a cat."

"Don Juan" Sequence Planned

England's Frances Rowe makes her first American appearance in the part and she's delicious, rather reminiscent of Pamela Brown, who was so fine in Gielgud's "Love for Love" and "The Importance of Being Earnest" last season.

Of Ann's mother, Shaw wrote:

"A little woman, whose flaxen hair looks like straw on an egg. She has an expression of muddled shrewdness, a squeak of protest in her voice and an odd air of continually elbowing away some larger person who is crushing into her corner." Josephine Brown, who starred with Arnold Daly, William Gillette and John Barrymore, plays the role with just the right limp attitude.

The celebrated third act, or "Don Juan" sequence, has been left out as usual, for this is a play in itself, a flight of imagery which is not necessary to the play's story. Evans plans to give this at a series of special matinees during the winter.

Hopes for touring are high and, possibly with this in mind, one noted the clever settings of Frederick Stover. These are in a crisp, humorous style and taper off at about three-quarter height, omitting the ceilings we've become so needlessly accustomed to. We noted similar sets for Gertrude Lawrence's touring "Tonight at 8:30," and perhaps it is an answer to some of the theater's exorbitant costs, both in manufacture and trucking.

Non-Shakespeare Evans

Presenting Evans in his first non-Shakespearean role here for a decade, "Man and Superman" also reveals the actor-manager's versatility. His John Tanner is charmingly bemused and embodies Shaw's description:

"He is prodigiously fluent of speech, restless, excitable (mark the snorting nostril and the restless blue eyes just the thirty-second of an inch too wide open), possibly a little mad . . . A sensitive, susceptible, exaggerated, earnest man: A meglomaniac, who would be lost without a sense of humor."

As for Shaw, his high royalties come from his insistence on a 15 per cent royalty, while lesser playwrights—and poorer businessmen—get theirs on a sliding scale from 7½ to 12½ per cent. With New York's Alvin accommodating standees at each performance, this means that Shaw gets roughly $4700 a week. But with taxes here and in Britain, G. B. S. tartly observes he gets about 1 shilling out of every 20. Still, from a 44-year-old play, it's something of a record.

WILL FYFFE is dead and a very fine comedian he was, too, and how strange it is that Sir Harry Lauder has outlived the man who seemed to be his successor as Scotland's wit. Fyffe's characterization in "To the Victor" was one of the best, and his vaudeville tours in this country made his brand of humor familiar to Americans. We'll always remember him best at a show for the Allied troops in Cairo during the war. Will came out on the stage, looked around and began: "I've just been to Amurrica." Then, with that genius for timing that the veterans develop, he added, "It'll be a gur-ate place when they get finished wi' it." It brought down the house.

THE CAPITOL has a sneak preview coming up tomorrow night. This one, we can assure you, is one of Metro's most ambitious offerings. The film will go on as the last event of the evening, when Jack Carter, the stage show and "Pirates of Monterey" have run their course.

TRACY BY TURNER: Here's how Spencer Tracy, as Judge Cass Timerlane, looks to a witness who appears in his courtroom. Lana Turner plays the witness, who ultimately marries the judge, and though she didn't actually draw this, it's an important scrap of paper in the Sinclair Lewis story. The film will be along soon at the Palace

Man Killed in Rock Fall At Barton Coal Mine

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Rex Frankland, 50, was killed today in a rock fall at the Mill Run Mine of the Campbell Coal Co., near Barton, Md. No one else was injured.

Airpark Site Search Here Called Futile

There isn't room for a private airfield in Washington, National Capital Park and Planning Commission said yesterday.

With the flat statement that all possible sites for a close-in airpark have been exhausted, the commission disclosed plans to seek a suitable area "somewhere in the metropolitan area."

To do this, the commission's regional airport committee, all but dormant these last 18 months, will be reactivated to scan nearby Maryland and Virginia for a site large enough and safe enough to handle private planes.

The search will start "some time after Christmas."

The reactivation, coming on the heels of the commission's rejection of the proposed Kingman Island airstrip, is a double rebuff for the Washington Aviation Planning Council. The council, keen proponents of the Kingman site, saw its hopes dashed last week when the commission rejected plans to build the strip on the Anacostia River island.

"To seek a place outside the District defeats the very purpose of the plan," the council's executive committee said yesterday. "To be practical, the airpark should be close to the heart of the city, with transportation readily available."

The island, described at one time by the Civil Aeronautics Administration as "the best available site" in Washington, was turned down by the commission because the area is too thickly populated. NCPPC recognized, however, "the immediate need for providing for smaller planes as close in as possible."

The Aviation Council executive committee, in a luncheon meeting at the Hay Adams Hotel yesterday, girded for another battle for the Kingman Island proposal. "When we get a copy of the commission's rejection report, we plan to make a categorical reply," said Rufus Phillips of the Aero Club's airport committee.

Plans to carry the fight to the District Commissioners also were disclosed by the executive committee.

Represented at yesterday's noon meeting were John Victory, executive secretary of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics; Joe Gueting, of Aircraft Industries Association; Jesse Hadley, chairman of the Washington Board of Trade's aviation committee; Grant Stetter of the Washington Association of Flying Clubs and Phillips Jennings Randolph, chairman of the council, was out of the city.

One NCPPC official said yesterday special legislation probably would be required to enable the District to spend its airport funds outside the city. The Commissioners have said the city does not have, at present, funds necessary to match the Federal grant.

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Barbara Stanwyck, David Niven in "THE OTHER LOVE"
1:05, 3:15, 5:20, 7:25, 9:35

CIRCLE 2105 Pa. Ave. N.W. RE. 9191
Esther Williams, Laurits Melchoir in "THIS TIME FOR KEEPS" (Technicolor). Open 5:30 p. m. Feature at 5:45, 7:40, 9:40.

GREENBELT — Greenbelt, Md.
Victor Mature, Peggy Cummins in "MOSS ROSE" at 7 and 9.

HISER-BETHESDA 7414 Wisc. Ave. Wisconsin 4848
Tyrone Power in "NIGHTMARE ALLEY" at 5:45, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

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ANACOSTIA 1418 Good Hope Rd. S.E. LUdlow 1324
Matinees Daily 1 P. M.
George Raft, Randolph Scott in "XMAS EVE" 1:35, 3:25, 5:35, 7:35, 9:35

ATLANTIC 27 Atlantic St. S.W. LI. 7063
Robert Cummings, Brian Donlevy in "HEAVEN ONLY KNOWS" at 6:15, 8:00, 9:50.

CAPITOL Capitol Heights, Md. HI. 2745
"TOBACCO ROAD" at 6:15, 9:45.
"GRAPES OF WRATH" at 7:40 only.

CONGRESS 2031 Nichols Ave. S.E. TR. 9700
Maureen O'Hara and Ben Harrison in "THE FOXES OF HARROW" 8:45, 9:15.

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Spencer Tracy in "STANLEY AND LIVINGSTONE" at 6:20, 9:30.
Dennis O'Keefe in "ABROAD WITH TWO YANKS" at 8:05 only.

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Tyrone Power in "NIGHTMARE ALLEY" at 6:50, 9:20.

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Robert Mitchum, Robert Young, Robert Ryan in "CROSSFIRE"

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Murder Jury Told Setup Of Gamblers

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Roy William Ridenour, 30-year-old West Virginian who said he came home on terminal leave from the Army and was "taken to the cleaners" by a group of gamblers, went on trial today on a charge of killing Charles Terzeian Taylor, 52-year-old Hagerstown gambler.

The State asked a first degree murder verdict.

Two witnesses took the stand to admit they had been professional gamblers for many years and one of them named four men as "bankers" for a tri-State Potomac Valley gambling syndicate.

One of them, William Cost of Martinsburg, W. Va., told the jury he and Taylor were partners and that "bankers" for their gambling establishment were Kris Polis, Lawrence Shives, Bernard Keyes and Thomas Copenhaver.

Copenhaver testified he had been gambling for 30 years and that there was a betting establishment at John Light's tavern in Martinsburg which was "open to the public."

State's Attorney Martin L. Ingram said in his opening statement that Ridenour was a "table man" for a dice game at Light's place, but Charles Wagaman, defense attorney, told the jury that "we want to rid your mind of any idea that this man (Ridenour) was a professional."

Ingram said he would show that Ridenour saw Taylor put $3400 into a paper sack at the tavern last July 28, hitched a ride with him, shot him as they were driving along the Williamsport pike toward Hagerstown, dumped Taylor's body on the side of the road and fled to Baltimore.

One of the first prosecution witnesses, Detective Sergt. John J. Cassidy, said Ridenour told him this story of the shooting after his arrest:

While the two were riding to Hagerstown, an argument developed, Taylor produced a gun and in a scuffle it went off.

The veteran then took $200 out of the paper bag and threw it and the rest of the money into a hedge.

Ridenour got scared and started running down the pike. He returned after a short time to see if he could help Taylor, but when he opened the car door the body sagged out.

He pushed Taylor's body to the side of the road and then drove the car to Hagerstown. From there he went to Baltimore by bus.

State Police Lieut. George E. Davidson testified Ridenour told him that when he got to Baltimore he gave a friend, Anne Lee Johnson, $75 to buy him new clothes and subsequently put his old, bloodied clothing in a locker at Camden Station.

The defense contends Taylor failed to pay off on a bet which Ridenour placed with him at a "bookie joint" in Martinsburg.

However, Joseph D. Baker, Washington County sheriff, said the horse Ridenour named had not won a race for two weeks before or after the day the defendant said the wager was placed.

Veterinary School Indorsed in Va.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—L. M. Walker, jr., State commissioner of agriculture, today indorsed a recommendation of the Virginia Advisory Legislative Council that a school of veterinary medicine be established at V. P. I.

Such a school, Walker said, would go far toward relieving a "most critical situation which confronts Virginia's expanding livestock industry."

The VALC proposed in a report to Governor Tuck the appropriation of $800,000 to establish the school. Recurring expenses of operation were estimated at $150,000 per year, but these would be reduced by student fes.

$2048 Profit Shown By Shenandoah Fair

Woodstock, Va., Dec. 15.—The Shenandoah County Fair Association has announced a profit of $2048 on the 1947 fair. Total receipts exceeded $11,000.

New officers of the association are C. M. Shannon, Mount Jackson, president; P. M. Bird, Mount Jackson, vice president; Raymond Judy, Edinburg, treasurer.

Key Club Chartered at Occoquan High

KIWANIS-SPONSORED — Members of the newly-formed Key Club at Occoquan District High School receive their chapter at ceremonies sponsored by the Woodbridge, Va., Kiwanis Club. Left to right, C. B. Jett, member of Fairfax County school board; Roland Brown, president of Mount Vernon High School Key Club; Charles F. Tucker, in charge of Key Club extension for Woodbridge Kiwanians; Richard K. Davenport, High Point, N. C., international Key Club vice president; Phillips Brown, the Occoquan Club's president, and Fred Lynn of Prince William County school board.

Ferry Service To Be Studied By Road Board

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—The State Highway Commission met here today and heard complaints from two delegations over road projects and a request from another that the possibility of giving ferry service across the James River at Claremont be studied.

A delegation asked the commission to consider a State-owned ferry across the river from Claremont to Surry County to Sandy Point in Charles City County and pointed out that it would do much to facilitate tourist travel. The commission directed that a study be made.

A ferry owned by Capt. A. F. Jester formerly operated across the river but traffic was so meager that it ran without a regular schedule and eventually was discontinued. In a report in March, 1941, the planning and survey division of the highway department said a study had disclosed that there was no apparent need at that time for the ferry "as a necessary link in the State's highway system."

Two Ferries Now Operate

Two State-owned ferries now operate between Jamestown and Scotland Wharf and Hopewell and Charles City.

The commission heard two delegations appearing in connection with relocation of Route 3 near Litwalton in Lancaster County. One of the groups favored and the other opposed the project. The commission said it was studying the proposal.

Another group appeared before the commission protesting the proposed designation of the Fredericksburg bypass on Route 1 as a "limited access" roadway.

The commission and its engineers explained its purposes in declaring this portion of the highway a limited access road. This designation would prevent commercial development of the frontage on the bypass and the committee took the stand that this would cause a loss of trade to Fredericksburg.

Still Hope for Bridge

The highway department said that it "has not abandoned hope" that the War Department will approve its plan to erect a low-level bascule type bridge across the York River between Yorktown and Gloucester Point.

The department recalled that the request for a permit to erect such a structure was resubmitted in November to the Army district engineer in Norfolk with the specific request that he forward it to authorities in Washington.

His "routine recommendation" for disapproval which was announced Saturday was "fully expected" the department stated and pointed out that his office earlier had already turned down the plan.

Richmond Man Sent to Prison, Fined $10,000 for Tax Evasion

Hilbert J. Bernstein, Richmond businessman, was sentenced in the United States District Court in Alexandria yesterday to a year and a day in prison and fined $10,000 on a charge of income tax evasion.

Bernstein entered a plea of "no defense" to the charge he evaded taxes totaling $6711.20 in 1941 by falsifying his personal income tax returns and those of his firm, the Reliable Home Equipment Co., by issuing paychecks to fictitious employes.

Judge Albert V. Bryan gave him until February 1 to put his business affairs in order before starting his prison sentence.

Defense attorneys told the court Bernstein used money received from a sister to pay his firm's current operating expenses and that he padded the firm's payroll to recover the sister's funds. Judge Bryan, however, declined a plea from Bernstein's attorneys to suspend the prison term.

Md. City Defers Action On Airport Concessions

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—The mayor and city council today deferred a decision on who is to operate and have the servicing concessions next year at Municipal Airport, across the Potomac at nearby Ridgely, W. Va.

Cumberland airways, whose contract expires December 31, is among four bidders which had made proposals for operating the field and remitting part of the income to the city; but members of the Municipal Airport Commission have not been able to agree on which of the proposals should be accepted.

Rev. Beckwith Resigns

Culpeper, Va., Dec. 15.—The Rev. James D. Beckwith, rector of St. Mark's parish for the past six years, has announced his resignation. He will take over his new duties at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Richmond, after February 1.

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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, December 15, 1947. A public hearing having been held by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia in the matter of closing certain street and public alleys in the District of Columbia, as hereinafter described, and, as the said Commissioners are of the opinion that the street area and alleys referred to should be closed, notice is hereby given that under date of December 2, 1947, they have prepared the following order: "Ordered, that pursuant to the provisions of Public Act No. 307, approved December 15, 1932, the street and alley areas as shown in green on plats filed in the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia and numbered as Maps 3338, 3339, 3340, 3341, 3342 and 3349, are hereby CLOSED; same to take effect on and after JANUARY 5, 1948; the title to the land comprised in said areas so closed to revert to the abutting property owners as shown on said maps; the said closings to take effect jointly or separately by subsequent order or orders on the effective date aforesaid, according to Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, described as follows: (1) closing all public alleys in Square 3338, east of Lincoln Road, abutting Squire 3338, and the public alley in Square 3339, abutting Lots 13 to 31, inclusive; (2) closing of a part of the public alley in Square 140, abutting Lots 17, 238 and 68, and (3) closing of Bass Place NE., between 40th and 50th Streets, abutting Squares 5334 and 5335." Any and all parties interested must file objections, if any, in writing, to these closings, or as to any item or items providing for the closings listed above before JANUARY 5, 1948; otherwise the closings shall become effective on and after that date, in accordance with the provisions of Public Act No. 307, approved December 15, 1932. JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG, GUY MASON, GORDON R. YOUNG, Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Dec.13,16, 17,18,19,20,22,23,24,26,27,29,30,31.

Bids and Proposals 6

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., Washington, D. C., December 11, 1947. Sealed proposals will be received in Room 500, District Building, until 2:00 P. M., EST, January 9, 1948, and then publicly opened and read for Furnishing and Installing 891 linear feet of 30" nominal diameter and 7,830 linear feet of 20" nominal diameter watermains from 4th and B Streets, N.E., to Potomac and Kentucky Avenues, S.E. Specifications, plans and proposals may be obtained in Room 427, District Building. Request for same must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of $10.00, made payable to the Collector of Taxes, D. C., to insure their return in good condition. J. R. YOUNG, G. MASON, G. R. YOUNG, Commissioners, D. C. Dec.11,12,13,15,16,17

Auction Sales 8

THOMAS DOWLING & CO., Auctioneers 931 H St. N.W.

Notice is hereby given that on December 22nd, 1947, at two thirty o'clock, p. m. at 604 D Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., I will sell at public auction to enforce mechanics lien, one Plymouth Sedan, engine No. P. J. 178596. DAVID AUSTIN. dec.1,8,15

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Lost 10

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BILLFOLD—Light tan; initials A.C.; believed lost on Mt. Pleasant streetcar, Friday, December 12. Reward. FR. 0691.

BILLFOLD, red, lady's Buxton; early Sun. morn.; contained valuable papers and pictures. Keep money. Write or mail to 200 E. Franklin st., Richmond, Va., O'Neil McCulley.

COLLIE, tan and white, 6 mo. old; lost near Silver Spring, Takoma Park area; child's pet. SLigo 3273.

DIAMOND RING, engagement, lost 1 p. m. between 14th and Harvard and 14th and Monroe sts. Reward $300. TA. 1694.

DOG—Welsh terrier, black female, small, tan face and legs, tag 32,671. $50 reward. Call EM. 1438.

DOG, English setter, black, white and ticked; reward; notify James W. Taylor, 3119 Sherman ave. TA. 1654.

DOG—Cocker Spaniel; dark tan; broken right front leg, decided limp; name Andy; reward. SH. 7871.

IRISH TERRIER, rusty brown; name "Jeff;" lost vic. Garfield Hospital; reward. Dr. Jans, Garfield Hospital.

POCKETBOOK, black cloth, gold top, Joseph label, lost Friday on Pinehurst bus or in Peoples Drug Store at Conn. and McKinley. Reward. WO. 2216.

PURSE, black corde; lost Sat. a. m.; keep money, return contents. TA. 2770.

WATCH—Service woman's; white gold spring band; lost in or near Lansburgh's basement store; reward. FR. 5051.

Personals 11

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XMAS BONUS, ALSO 2 WEEKS VACATION WITH PAY, PLUS COMMISSION ON ALL SALES. NO EVENING WORK.
See
STEVE GOSS
9 to 11 A. M., 710 14th St. N.W.
Ericson Bldg. Rm. 409.

SALESMEN-BUYERS
Ford dealer wants to hire experienced used-car buyers to buy and sell on liberal commission plan. See Mr. McCain, Jr.
NORTHEAST MOTOR CO.
920 Bladensburg Rd. N.E., AT. 9200.

SALES MANAGER
Man capable of organizing and managing a storm window sales organization in Washington, Baltimore or Philadelphia. Must have proven and successful sales managerial background and some window experience. Box M-437, Washington Post.

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SALESMAN
TO OPERATE
Cuboid Department
IN
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA
Must have pleasing personality and be capable of handling salespeople. Excellent earning salary while training.
SEE MR. RHEA OR MR. BROWN
LADIES' SHOE DEPARTMENT
3RD FLOOR
THE HECHT CO.
7th and F Sts. N.W.

Sales Represent., $7,500
Age 25-40. Institutional contact, executive ability necessary.
ATLAS AGENCY
Evans Bldg., 1420 New York Ave. N.W.

SHOE MAKER, all-around, 1st class; also 1st class shoe shine boy. Apply at 809 9 st. nw.

STENOGRAPHER-CLERK, age 22 to 27; $250 mo. Adams Employment Agency, 204 Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts. nw.

STOCK CLERK for receiving and marking room; a progressive men's wear store offers attractive salary with opportunity for advancement to capable young man. Apply office, THE YOUNG MEN'S SHOP, 1319 F st. nw.

STRUCTURAL DESIGNER
Opening in our Cincinnati Office for a structural designer experienced on structural steel and reinforced concrete design in connection with industrial buildings.
Must do board work in connection with own design.
Lengthy employment with good salary, if qualified. Send complete resume of experience, education, salary required and date available, to
P. H. COLE
THE E. K. FERGUSON COMPANY,
P. O. BOX 17,
ST. BERNARD 17, OHIO.

TAILOR
to work on fine men's clothing; pleasant working conditions, attractive salary. See Mr. Zeitin.
ALAN NEIL, INC.
909 15th St. N.W.

TOP-NOTCH bricklayer foreman with own crew, non-union. Call Mr. Garwood, GLebe 8123, AXminster 3813 after 7 p. m.

NATIONAL organization needs a man for administrative work in the planning, direction and coordination, through local units, of an educational program. Candidate must have M. A. in education or related field and recent experience in elementary or secondary education, including supervisory or administrative experience; age 30-40; annual salary, $4,200. Write Box M-441, Wash. Post.

LARGE National organization needs man with experience in counseling community activities, social work or related field. Age 30-40; college graduate; must be able to accept assignment in Middle Atlantic or Eastern Central States. Annual salary $3,700 plus quarters or certain allowances. Write Box M-440, Washington Post.

BOYS, 18 and over, with bicycles; full time, day or night work. Apply Western Union, 1317 N. Y. ave. nw., Room 200.

AIRCRAFT
LOCAL POSITIONS
130 DRAFTSMEN $2 PER HOUR
5 years aircraft design and layout experience.
5 aeronautical engineers, $100 per week.
25 aircraft stress analysts, $2.25 hr.
20 jr. draftsmen, $1.50 per hr.
3 to 5 years mechanical or layout experience.
NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE
1708 G St. N.W.

MEN—AGE 21-35
Positions open in tabulating section of accounting office. No experience necessary; 5-day week; advancement as you learn. Apply Safeway Stores Employment Office, 4th and T sts. nw.

YOUNG MEN—Free to travel after short local training; can earn $8 to $16 per day; transportation furnished. Room 454, Bond Bldg.

MEN
New department of Encyclopedia has openings for men not making enough money on their present job and who are free to work 5 to 9 p. m. We will show you how to earn from $40 to $60 per week and still retain your daytime job. Sales experience not necessary, but helpful.
Personnel manager will interview 7 p. m. sharp, Monday, December 15th, only. No telephone calls.
SUITE 310, RINO BLDG.
18th AND M STS. N.W.

WANTED
SALES REPRESENTATIVE
To call on business houses, attorneys, accountants and banks.
Drawing account, plus commission. First year income $3,600 to $4,500, increasing annually thereafter. Also, profit-sharing and retirement pension plans.
Qualifications: College or equivalent, under 40, previous direct selling experience.
For immediate interview, write and sell yourself in your first letter, giving complete information, including age, experience, and past earnings to:
MR. G. C. LUKEMAN
PRENTICE-HALL, INC.
341 MUNSEY BLDG.
WASHINGTON 4, D. C.

$$$ FOR XMAS. Sell Encyclo and other magazines and personalized binders. Write Military Service Co., 1921 Rye st. nw., Washington 6, D. C.

MAN
To assist oil burner service manager, experience in handling oil burner service work and men preferred but not essential. Permanent position. Opportunity for advancement.
Call Mr. Webb for interview
LI. 4300
L. P. STEUART & BRO., Inc.
138 12th St. N.E.

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Adminis. Secry., $60 Up
Many other excellent positions. We are famous for securing the finest office positions.
ATLAS AGENCY
Evans Bldg., 1420 New York Ave. N.W.

Advertising Assistant
If you are creative with a flair for writing or layout and crave a future in advertising, here is a splendid opportunity. Remuneration based on experience and ability. Opportunity unlimited.
E. I. Cowen, The Young Men's Shop
1319 F St. EX. 5120.

AMBITIOUS young lady with sales experience to sell in fast-growing men's furnishings store; good salary; pleasant working conditions. Apply office, Young Men's Shop, 1319 F st. nw.

Assistant Controller, $3,000
Must have dept. store exper.
Bookkeeper, full charge, to $65.
Asst. Bookkeepers, to $50.
Bkpg. Machine opr., $45.
Many other excellent positions. We are famous for securing the finest office positions.
ATLAS AGENCY
Evans Bldg., 1420 N. Y. Ave. N.W.

Beauty Salon Manager
Wonderful opportunity in large department store for thoroughly experienced, licensed manager with technical knowledge.
Excellent Working Conditions and Salary
Write full details giving age, experience, etc., to Box M-371, Washington Post.

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BOOKKEEPER—Accounts payable; ready-to-wear office; some typing. Mark, 616 12th st. nw.

BKPR.-TYPIST
To do cashiering for dealership. Neat appearance and pleasant personality. Good salary, 5½-day week, hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. See Mr. Erwin, Hill & Tibbits, Inc., 1114 Vt. ave. nw.

CORSET FITTER
—AND—
SALESWOMAN
EXPERIENCED
GOOD SALARY
APPLY
IVY CORSET SHOP
1309 G ST. N.W.

CIVIL SERVICE BOOKS. COURSES. BOYD SCHOOL, 1333 F nw., NA. 2356.

CASHIER
General office work, fine men's specialty shop.
APPLY TO MR. AIKEN
GROSNER OF 1325 F ST.

CLERKS
For work in mail room and multigraph department. Age 19 to 30, permanent position, 5-day 40-hour week. Paid annual vacation and sick leave allowance.
Call Monday or Tuesday, between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. for appointment.
AMERICAN AUTOMOBILE ASSN.
ME. 4021, Ext. 205

COUNTERGIRLS and waitresses (whites); good jobs in the better restaurants; no fees charged Washington Restaurant Association, 2602 Rye st. nw.

CLERK-TYPISTS desiring permanent positions at good salaries, 5-day week, state qualifications, experience, age. Write Box M-1011, Washington Post.

CLERK-TYPIST for publishing firm; high school graduate with good general training and figure posting experience; 5-day week, paid vacation and sick leave; free insurance coverage. DI. 2900, Ext. 215.

CLERK-TYPIST for general office work; permanent employment for neat-appearing young lady, preferably one living in G.U. See Mr. MARS, The Contract Co., 410 1st st. se.

CLERK-TYPIST
Under 35 years of age; no shorthand necessary; permanent position with insurance company; pleasant working conditions; short 35-hour week; no Saturdays. Apply Room 400, 918 14th st. nw., between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m.

CLERK-TYPIST
Age 20 to 35, accurate, fair speed. Some knowledge of filing procedure helpful. Permanent position, 5-day 40-hour week. Annual vacation and sick leave allowance.
CALL MONDAY FOR APPOINTMENT
9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
AMERICAN AUTOMOBILE ASSN.
ME. 4021, Ext. 205

CLERK-TYPIST
LARGE CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY
High School Graduate
Age 18 to 21
CALL
MISS RICHARDS
DU. 5100
BETWEEN 9 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

COMPTOMETER OPERATOR
Permanent position to large air-conditioned office in Northwest section; convenient transportation; 5-day, 40-hour week; vacation with pay and other benefits. Apply SAFEWAY STORES Employment Office, 4th and T sts. nw.

FILE CLERK
18 to 35
Experienced
Some typing essential. Permanent position, 40-hour 5-day week. Good salary.
SEE MR. WILKINS
Edmar Bldg.,
702 H St. N.W., 3rd Floor

MANICURIST WANTED—Mirror Barber Shop, 628 E st. nw.

Millinery Dept. Head
Responsible, permanent position, excellent salary. Apply Hirsh Brothers, 1108 Conn. ave.

NURSE for children, ages 3½, 2 and 4, in Fairfax County place; must have references, good health and settled disposition; $100 month. Phone Fairfax 336 evenings.

OFFICE CLERICALS
Girls, ages from 20 to 30, for clerical work. 5-day week, vacation with pay. Apply Safeway Stores Employment Office, 4th and T sts. nw.

REVIEWER
For technical radio correspondence; college graduate preferred, with major in English and minor in physics; experience as technical secretary or proofreading or editorial experience would be helpful; Position will be permanent. In your reply please supply all relevant information, including approximate salary desired. Write Box 886, Washington Post.

Secretary-Stenographer
to be trained as property manager in real estate office. Permanent position in excellent environment for thoroughly competent woman, with executive ability. Reply by letter stating qualification and give phone number for interview by appointment. Waverly Taylor, Inc., 1032 Conn. ave. nw.

SECYS., $160 to $230 month.
JR. SECY., personnel, $150.
HOSTESS, pers. mgr., r. and m., $40.
MUTUAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE,
1710 G St. N.W. NA. 0954

SECRETARY to head of personnel office in private publishing firm; shorthand and typing; ability to meet people desired; good starting salary; 5-day week; paid vacation and sick leave; free insurance coverage. DI. 2900, Ext. 215.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, young, ambitious; knowledge of Spanish desirable but not necessary; intelligence more important than experience; permanent position with established law firm; excellent conditions; interesting work. Telephone DI. 6747.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER
Intelligent and refined young woman as secretary-stenographer to executive of fine men's wear store. Must be high school graduate, age 25 to 35; minimum requirements, typing 50, shorthand 110; recent experience in private industry. Permanent position, excellent salary, 5½-day week. Available immediately.
APPLY MR. VICKERY
LEWIS & THOS. SALTZ
1409 G St. N.

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STENOG.-RECEP.—Shorthand necessary; $200 mo. 44-hour. Employment Agency, 304 Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts. nw.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR and receptionist, must be experienced, 20-30 years old. For advertising agency. Some typing ability. Downtown location; 5-day, 40-hour week. Permanent. Call Di. 7400.

TEACHER, $200

Kindergarten asst., knowl. piano, $200 and room, meal, at once. Miss Kent.

PERSONNEL SERVICE

1311 G St. N.W. NA. 6088

TYPIST

A 3-month job open for good typist with flair for organization. If you have been looking for a short period of continual work with excellent organization, this temporary position may spell you $150 per month. Phone NA. 6760.

TYPISTS

Age 20 to 35 for work in insurance department. Accuracy and fair speed essential. Permanent, chance for advancement. 5-day 40-hour week, paid annual and sick leave allowance.

Phone Monday 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. for appointment.

AMERICAN AUTOMOBILE ASSN.
ME. 4021, Ext. 205

TYPIST

18 to 30, in life insurance agency; requires accuracy; excellent opportunity for qualified applicant; good starting salary; applicant must be willing to submit to aptitude test. Apply Room 907, Bliss Bldg., 18th and M sts. nw.

TYPISTS, $45

Entocy, general ofc. $150
Typist, accurate with fig. $165
Dictaphone oprs. (3) ..... $175 to $215

NA. 6295

AMERICAN, 918 F ST.

TYPIST, $35 to $40.50.
MATRON, R. and M., $100.
PBX OPER., $32.
MUTUAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE
1710 G St. N.W. NA. 0924

Waitresses & Hostesses

Training courses are now available to young ladies (white), interested in restaurant employment in Greater Washington. No tuition fees. Apply Educational Dept.

Wash. Restaurant Asso.
2003 Eye St. N.W.

WRAPPERS and Inspectors from now until Christmas. Pleasant working conditions, excellent salary. Apply office, The Young Men's Shop, 1319 F st. nw.

Money to Loan 23

ON DIAMONDS, watches, jewelry, silverware and miscellaneous articles. LOUIS ABRAHAMS, 3235 Rhode Island ave. ne.

Personal Loan Companies 25

NEED $25 to $300 right away? Call Employees Loan Co.; Phone Mr. Harding, SH. 1323 (7835 Eastern Ave.); or Mr. Burkhart, HO. 0013 (1309 Rhode Island Ave.).

THE BEST PLACE
TO GET CASH
SIGNATURE LOANS
FURNITURE LOANS
AUTO LOANS IN 5 MINUTES
A Friendly Loan Service
Call Mr. Zwally, SH. 3700.
AYARES SMALL LOAN CO., INC.
7902 GEORGIA AVE.

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BARBER SHOP in large downtown, first-class hotel; same owner many years, now retiring; clears about $10,000 profit annually. Will accept $9,500 cash down payment and balance $200 monthly. Only responsible experienced operators considered. Exclusive Broker.
1009 N. Y. ave. nw. NA. 9743. Call for appt. No phone information.

GIFT AND MILLINERY SHOP
Store rent; no goodwill; other interests. Sacrifice $2,500.

GROCERY equipment and stock. Quick sale for cash. OR. 8644.

JUNK YARD—Good location. Suitable for auto wrecking and parts. Small investment. EX. 2741.

KOSHER DELICATESSEN
In N.W. Sect.; old established & well known. Owner states, "$1,500 weekly," can be doubled by right party. Low rent, short hours, no Sundays. Due to illness and other interests, must be sacrificed for $10,000, half cash; lock, stock and barrel; first come, first served.
LEON GOODMAN, exclusive broker,
1506 Conn. Ave. CO. 6800

LADIES WEAR

Lovely store in busy suburban area on main road into city. Exclusive lines, long established. Over $50,000 sales last year.

AUERBACH & CO.
1424 K St. N.W. DI. 6301.

LIQUOR STORE

Desirable Northwest location. $4,000 weekly. Clean stock, long established. Long lease.

AUERBACH & CO.
1424 K St. N.W. DI. 6301.

PHOTO STUDIO

Selling immediately at a give-away price, only $1150. Equipment alone worth more. Excellent location. CH. 9663 or GI. 2091.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHIC SERVICE—Modern equipment, including dictating machine and transcribers. Downtown location. Priced for quick sale at $1,150. Call RE. 0511 bet. 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

RESTAURANT, 14TH ST. NW.—Seats 85; clean and high sales; $16,000; terms. R. H. Dedmon, NA. 5520.

NOW—Ice cream plant, light lunch, good for any line or expansion, cor. lot 85x100; 4d on bus; $12,750. 2-bdrm. terms. Main 11, downtown; 23rd & H, NE. inc. hr. for 1st fl. sell, trade, 2-story, basement bldg.; reduced. N. R. RYON CO., OR. 6148.

$6,000 BUYS a good delicatessen business, in the heart of Alexandria; excellent location, doing good business.

Al Baker & Son, Realtors
116 S. ST. ASAPH ST., ALEX. VA.
Al. 6644. TE. 7342.
OPEN NIGHTS AND SUNDAYS

Business Opps. Wanted 31

SMALL retail business wanted by executive-accountant. Box 630, Wash. Post.

Rooms, Furnished 34

ARL., nr. Clarendon—Share twin bedrm.; man; dble. rms., couples or men; clean, well warm; gen. transp. CH. 6572.

ARLINGTON—2 rooms, 16x14 ft., double and single, pvt. bath between; will rent separately. 1 blk. bus. GL. 6898.

B ST. NE. 1109—Double front room; privy. Navy Yard and transp.; gentlemen pref. FR. 2076, until 2 p. m.

BELMONT RD. N.W., 1914—Cozy, bright double room; 2 or couple; next to bath, large closet; conv. trans.; $19 ea. per mo. CO. 5086-AD. 9386.

BELMONT RD., 1918—Large double front room; 2 closets; only 4 people to each bath; excel. transp. MI. 9494.

BILTMORE ST. N.W. 1910—2 Rooms, 1 with twin beds, newly renovated. Convenient transportation. HO. 0352.

BUCHANAN ST. NW., 1305—Large frt. rm., nr. bath; suit. emp. couple; $35 wk.; $40 dbl.; bkfst. priv. optional. RA 7769.

C ST. SW., 708—Near Govt. bldgs. and transp.; 2 rooms with twin beds; inexpensive mattr.; chance for apt. later. Quiet people. $45. Call DI. 1030.

CALVERT ST. NW., 1837—Beautiful frt. rm., clean, running water, good section, early trans., refined gentleman or married couple. HO. 9345.

CENTER ST. N.W., 3566 (near 14th and Oak sts.)—Nice bright single, near bath. Gentleman, $7 week. Mi. 5561.

CHEVY CHASE—Lge. attr. furn. frt. priv. bath, phone, 3 sleepers; conv. transp. Gentleman. Wi. 4726.

CLEVELAND PK.—Room available in private home; conv. trans. OR. 5932.

COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1834—Gentlemen; sgle., $7 wk.; dble., $6.50 wk. ea.; clean, comf.; separate beds; showers, baths, c. h. w. AD. 4330.

COLUMBIA RD., 1431, Apt. 25—Nicely furn. dble. rm., twin beds, phone, laundry, breakfast priv. CO. 4753.

CONN. AVE. vic.—Large frt. rm., all conv.; gentleman. WI. 0832.

DELAFIELD PL. NW., 1318—Nicely furn. front room, near bath; gentleman; excellent transportation; $30. TA. 3258.

DELAFIELD PL. NW., 1318—Double room, running water, heat, bath; private home; near transp.; $50. TA. 3258.

DUPONT CIRCLE, 1736 R St. NW.—Frt. rm., connecting bath, for girl; $31.50 mo.

DUPONT CIRCLE, 2118 O st. nw.—Lge. front room, sgle. bed; 2 girls; laundry priv. DU. 0325.

DUPONT CIRCLE (Mass. Ave.)—Large, attractively furn. master bedrm. with private bath. Phone AD. 2747 for appt.

EMERSON ST. NW., 334—Master twin bedrm., priv. bath; $55 mo. Also sgle., $28. Gentile home. OR. 5127.

FORT DUPONT ST. SE., 1605—Single rms., all beds, shower; prof. gentlemen only; new, adult home; reas.

EUCLID ST. NW., 1129—Lge. rm., twin beds; next b.; on car; $25 ea. NO. 7852.

H ST. N.W., 1907—Refined family have single and double rooms for men only.

HAMILTON ST. NW., 1204—2 sleeping rooms, next bath; 2 doors Georgia ave. carline. RA. 3500.

HOBART ST. NW., 1636—Lovely single room; also twin bedrm., for empl. young ladies; 1 block car and bus.

IRVING ST. NW., 1828—Master bedroom, pvt. bath, for 1 or 2; unlimited phone; excellent transp. DE. 9256.

K ST. NW., 73—Furn. single room, excellent transp.; desk-printing office; unlim. phone. Dr. 3762.

LAMONT ST. N.W., 1825—Double 3rd floor front, nr. bath, extra lge. closet, $45 mo., also double garage, $15. AD. 2323.

LANIER PL. N.W. (18th and Col. Rd.)—Sgle. and dble. rm. Gentile home. Call after 5:30 p.m. Mr. Lloyd. No. 8995.

MASS. AVE. NW., 1229 DOWNTOWN—Large room, twin beds, near bath, for 2 gentlemen. ME. 7750.

MASS. AVE. NW., 2110—Large, warm front room, near bath; 4 windows.

NEAL ST. N.E., 1234—Double bedrm., sitting room; share kitchen, bath with owner; suit. couple. ½ blk. bus. Call after 6 p. m.

N. H. AVE. NW., 1707—Master bedrm., priv. bath. Sgle., semi-bath. Gentile home.

N.W. SECTION—Front sgle. rm. with laundry and phone priv.; conv. transp.; $3 week. Dial 5203.

N. H. AVE. NW., 1525, at Dupont Circle—Lovely, warm single rooms in former embassy.

NICHOLSON ST. N.W.

608—Nice bright room for one person or married couple. GE. 1761.

OWEN PL. NE. 1319—Large double rm., next bath; ½ block bus. LI. 4506.

PETWORTH, 5002—3rd st. nw.—Single room, $25 month. GE. 5954.

QUACKENBOS ST. N.W. 522—Master bedroom, private bath, beautifully furnished. Employed couple. Express bus. RA. 4531.

QUE ST. NW., 1608—Gentleman; central, near 3 bus lines; large; plenty of closet and drawer space; $10 wk. AD. 4141 appointment. Dial 7030.

RIGGS PL. NW.—2 girls to share spacious home with others; 3 baths; all privileges. DE. 7640.

SE. SEC.—Nr. Good Hope rd.; sgle. rm. for girls; kit., laund. priv. UN. 7080 eves., Ex. 3111, ext. 209, days.

YOU ST. N.W. 1719—Furnished room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Reasonable.

WARDER ST. N.W., 3201—Large rm., twin beds; corner home; unlim. phone; couple or men; kit. priv. opt. TA. 5189.

WARDMAN PK. VIC.—Lge. rm., suitable man or employed couple. AD. 1099.

1ST ST. SE., 238—Nr. Congressional Library; newly dec. sit. rm.; share adj. bath with 2; $30 mo. LU. 0107.

9TH ST. SW., 901—Nice rm.; $6 wk.; gentleman.

7TH AND KENNEDY STS. NW.—Front rm., sgl. b.; young man; $20. TA. 9406.

21ST ST. SE., 202—Large double room, next bath. TR. 2902.

15TH ST. NW., 4708—2 rms., pvt. suit. for couple or 2 gentlemen.

16TH ST. NW., 3032—Lovely lge. sgle. room; $10 per wk. AD. 8986.

16TH ST. NW., 5510—Lge. sgl. rm. gen. (Jamaica) maid serv.; $26 mo. GE. 5442.

16TH ST. NW., 5701—Large corner rm., twin beds; for 2 empl. girls; conv. transportation; $7.50 ea. per wk. GE. 1900.

16TH ST. NW., 1633, Bolivian Club—Vacancy double rm., modern bath, clean beaut. surr.; luxurious woman.

1607 EYE ST. N.W.

NEAR THE WHITE HOUSE
Front double room for 2 girls. Telephone eves. and Sunday EX. 9700.

17TH ST. NW., 1630—Dble.; also sgle.; grill permitted; laun., phone privileges.

Situations, Domestic 21

COLORED HELP
now available. Reliable day workers and careful baby sitters; waitresses, part-time workers, full-time workers. Experienced Employment Service, 1353 Wallach pl. nw. AD. 0630. Hours: 8:30 to 4.

Rooms, Furnished 34

1STH ST. NW., 2330—Sgle. rm. for man, $30 mo.; dble. rm. for 2 men or couple, $30 ea. NO. 9833.

21st ST. N.W., 1725—Large front room, double bed; convenient transportation, $40 single; $45 double.

30TH ST. N.W.—Sgl. rm. next bath, pvt. home; gentleman, $5. VI. 0727.

ATTRACTIVE CORNER ROOM for gentleman, in new brick home; double bed, innerspring mattress; semipvt. bath; conv. to Fairfax Village shopping center and buses; $35 month. VI. 0239.

LOVELY NEIGHBORHOOD, west of Shoreham; dbl. home, porches, quiet rm., semipvt. bath for Christian gentleman; $40. 3002 32nd st. nw. WO. 1527.

SINGLE OR DOUBLE ROOM, next to bath. AD. 0537.

LARGE ROOM in new home, semiprivate bath; gentlemen; unlimited phone; good trans. References. $30. GL. 7627.

LARGE doubles and singles; newly decorated; new beds; hot plate privileges; Bendix washer; also vacancy for young man; near theater and shopping; reas. 1309 Park rd. nw. DU. 0401.

NR. WALTER REED—Large master bedroom, private bath. RA. 7157.

OFF. Rock Creek Park; lovely white mod. Hollywood style twin, lge. cedar-lined closet; quiet, clean; gas heat; sgle. or dble. ($50 double). 3023 Park rd. nw.

RITZ HOTEL, 920 F st. nw., Di. 9346. In the heart of the shopping and business district; double rooms, $20 wk.; single, $14 wk.; complete hotel service.

$2.50 PER DAY, $14 WEEK

COLORED—2 refin. men to share rm. $6 per wk. 763 Girard st. nw. CO. 4737.

COLORED—4 rooms, separate, with use of kitchen. Apply at 1030 6th st. nw. after 7 p. m.

COLORED, 1st fl., N.W., 1617—2 rooms, separate; employed couples or gentlemen; no children or cooking; well heated.

COLORED—Twin bedrm.; 2 girls; $6 wk. ea.; priva. 109 Rye st. nw. EX. 0642.

COLORED, Single room for settled, employed lady, in refined home; cooking and phone privileges. HI. 3890.

COLORED, 1122 N. H. ave. nw.—Neat, warm room for single man. DI. 4723 after 5 p. m.

COLORED, 47 Mass. ave. nw.—Room for single man; $35 month. ME. 3885.

COLORED (243 Warren st. nw.)—Large double room, $10 week. LI. 4324.

COLORED, 30 R st. ne.—Refined couple; twin beds; no cooking. AD. 9017 after 5 p. m.

COLORED—Near Soldiers' Home grounds, Manor Pl. N.W.—Double bedroom for simpl. couple. Also single room for gentleman; excellent transp. TA. 2788.

21st ST. N.W., 1725—Large front room, double bed; convenient transportation, $40 single; $45 double.

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$13,950 buys this all brick bungalow. One year old and in good convenient residential section. Large living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, 3 bedrooms, tile bath, automatic heat, full basement with space for good recreation room. $2,500 cash, $65 per month. Convenient to Pentagon and Shirley Highway. Inspect today. Call Mr. King, TE. 0728.
RIDDELL REALTY
1742 K St. N.W. DI. 7900

ARLINGTON
$74 PER MONTH
Taxes, insurance, interest and principal all included in this hard to beat value for a total price of $9750, with a very small down payment. 3-bedroom bungalow, N. Arlington location, full basement, range, refrigerator, clean gas heat.

$975 TOTAL DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly payments less than $100. Taxes, insurance, interest and principal included. 2 bedrooms, oil heat, full basement; 10 minutes to most anything. Total price, $10,500.

WALK TO WORK
Yes this brick home is within walking distance of the Pentagon in the center of everything; schools, shopping, church and theater. 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room. Total price, $10,500.

A HEAP O' LIVING
In this bungalow; 20-ft. living room, fireplace, 3 bedrooms and tile bath; 35-ft. recreation space with fireplace, kitchen, 3 large sunny bedrooms, 2 tiled baths on 2d floor, full basement with recreation room and half bath. Gas a.-c. heat. Outside entrance to basement, attached garage, screened side porch; large secluded lot; this is an unusual home and is sure to please you. On transportation.
GRAHAM-HALL, Realtors
WI. 3250.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
IN SILVER SPRING
3-bedroom frame bungalow, gas air-conditioned heat; reasonable offer with substantial down payment solicited. If you need a home in a hurry investigate this offer. The land is an excellent investment, and should increase steadily in value. Price, only $20,000; $5,000 down, balance $143.50 per month, and we will give immediate possession.
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3-bedroom modern; finished or unfinished attic. For further information, call
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Pl. 0357.
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BUNGALOWS
In and Near Bethesda

BETHESDA
Near Naval Hospital and Public Health; 3 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining room, kitchen, full basement, gas heat.
$13,000

KENSINGTON
Close to stores and transportation. 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining room, kitchen and full basement, large lot, hot-water heat.
$10,500

KENSINGTON
Cape Cod, asbestos shingle, bedroom and bath on 1st floor, 2 bedrooms on 2d floor. Full basement, oil hot-water heat.
$12,500

MacARTHUR BLVD.
On a large lot 150x200. A nice 3-bedroom, bath house with large living room, dining room, kitchen, oil hot-water heat.
$10,000

KENSINGTON
Red Brick in A-1 condition. Move right in. 2 bedrooms, bath, modern kitchen, full basement.
$11,500

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Realtor
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BEDROOM AND FULL TILE BATH ON FIRST FLOOR
In this charming red brick Cape Cod in nice section of Silver Spring. Beautiful living room, with fireplace, dining room, modern equipped kitchen, second floor 2 bedrooms and full tile bath. Partially finished recreation room, with built-in bar. Gas hot-water heat, lavatory, built-in garage. Permanent Rheem combination screens and storm windows. Level lot 60 by 110. Priced at $17,500.
Wood Conley Co., Realtors
8710 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring, Md.
SLigo 5700 or SH. 9015 till 9 p. m.

BEDROOM AND BATH
ON 1ST FLOOR
Act today if you want to enjoy Christmas in this lovely center-entrance brick home. Spacious living room with marble fireplace, dining room, modern kitchen, bedroom and bath on 1st floor; 2 large bedrooms, bath and sun deck on 2d floor. Attached garage, screened porch, plenty of closets, Venetian blinds, slate roof. $5,000 cash will handle, balance like rent.
GRAHAM-HALL
Realtors, WI. 3250.

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VIRGINIA

CLARENDON
Convenient to everything; exceptionally well built, 6 rooms, tile brick home; has entrance hall, living room, large dining room, very large kitchen equipped with range and refrigerator; huge porches; 2d floor has 3 large bedrooms, ample closets, beautiful tile bath and shower; full basement, h.-w. heat, yard entrance, house insulated, storm sash; needs redecorating but is an exceptional buy for $12,000; 2-car detached garage.
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GL. 5273 OX. 0300 CH. 5508

FALLS CHURCH
4-BEDROOM FRAME
Located 2 blocks from schools, theater, shopping, and one block from bus. Lot 125x125 in a nice old neighborhood. 1st floor consists of maid's room and bath, laundry, deep freeze, equipped kitchen, dining room, large living room, half bath; 2nd floor contains 4 bedrooms and bath; full basement and attic. Garage, oil heat. Price $16,950; substantial cash.
JOHN C. WRIGHT, INC.
CH. 4777 Eves., FA. 0726

FALLS CHURCH, Tyler Park. Sale by owner. Brick, 2 bedrooms, large living room, kitchen with GE refrigerator, stove and Disposal; insulated expansion attic, full basement; auto. gas heat; venetian blinds; large lot with trees. Available within week. Owner leaving country. $12,500; substantial cash. 1515 Tyler ave. FA. 9402.

N. ARLINGTON
Attractive brick home, exceptionally well built to order for local businessman. 1st floor features large living room with fireplace, built-in bookcase, full-sized dining room, ultramodern kitchen with custom-built cabinets; disappearing breakfast nook, large pantry, Tappan range, 9-cubic foot Frigidaire, private screened porch leading from dining room, master bedroom with private bath. 2d floor, 2 large bedrooms and bath; plenty of closets, and large storage attic; basement, half bath, recreation room with fireplace; outside entrance to wood and tool storage. There is a flagstone patio with white picket fence, 2-car detached brick garage; extra lot adjoins the rear and fronts on another street; included with property is a nice pool table, Deep Freeze (cost $940). This home is 2 years old and located in exclusive section of Arlington. Priced at less than cost to reproduce at $23,500, with $8500 cash. Shown by appointment only. Call
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75 N. GLEBE RD., ARL.
CH. 6090. CH. 6213.

RAVENWOOD ESTATES
offers a spacious white brick rambler on a one-acre lot. Large living room, dining room, Beauty Craft kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths; recreation room with fireplace; attached garage. Only 25 minutes from downtown Washington. $34,500.
ROAN & POPPELMAN, Inc.
FA. 2970. Eves., FA. 0076.

VIRGINIA FOREST
offers a new group of 2 and 3 bedroom rambler style homes, featuring studio living room with fireplace, dining room, step down to 2 spacious bedrooms, Beauty Craft kitchen, large wooded lot. All city conveniences. Only 25 minutes from downtown Washington. $17,950 to $19,250.
ROAN & POPPELMAN, Inc.
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They Are Driving Us Crazy
For these new 4-bedroom, 1½-bath brick houses on ½-acre lots just being offered to the public; 1 bedroom (or den) with ½ bath on first floor with large living room, open fireplace with panelled wall, 12x15 dining room, big kitchen and separate breakfast nook! Second floor contains full tile bath and 3 exceptionally large bedrooms, 1 with storage space and 3 featuring built-in drawers. Price only $16,500. Everyone is amazed at this offer on today's market. Act quickly and get your choice lot.
LURIA BROS.
2046 Wilson Blvd. GL. 3166

2-Bedroom Brick Bngalow
$10,950
This home is an exceptionally good buy on today's market. 3 years old; on lot 60x125 and is in excellent condition; 1st floor consists of living room, kitchen and dinette combination, 2 bedrooms and bath, front porch; steps to attic with ample space for other room. Full basement, 3 blocks to shopping. $2,500 cash and balance like rent. Call for appointment to inspect.
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN
1501 Columbia Pike
CH. 1341. OX. 2798.

HEART OF CLARENDON
Commercial Possibilities
One block from Wilson blvd; 6-room bungalow. Call OWNER for details. FA. 8059.

HOME OR INVESTMENT
Vacant, brand-new, semidetached brick, near Fort Myer and Washington and Lee Shopping center. (One similar rented for $115 monthly.) Priced only $10,500. Reasonable cash down. Call RE. 6650 till 9 p. m.
COLONIAL INVESTMENT CO.

ROOM TO SPARE
Or to rent, in this conveniently located home in N. Arlington; 2 bedrooms, den and bath on 1st floor; 2 bedrooms and bath on 2nd. Fireplace in living room, full basement with outside entrance, automatic heat; copper plumbing. Situated on a nicely elevated level lot only a few blocks from transportation and schools and priced at $17,500.
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GL. 0561. OX. 2585.

FOR BETTER HOMES IN VIRGINIA
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KE. 5511. KE. 5855.

FURNISHED two-bedroom home with expansion, immaculate condition, equip. kitchen, hot water, h.-w.h., oil, storm sash; convenient to everything.
L. McGEE KING
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With den and half bath on first floor, 2 bedrooms and full bath upstairs. Attractive living room with fireplace, nice size dining room, beautiful kitchen, glassed-in sun room, full basement, oil heat, lovely lot 75 by 200. Immediate possession. Substantial cash required.
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This attractive bungalow located in a nice section of Alexandria, convenient to schools, shopping and bus transportation, contains spacious living room with fireplace, large dining room, 2 bedrooms and full bath, extra large kitchen on the 1st floor; stairs leading to unfinished attic for 2 additional rooms; contains rough-in bath, plenty of closet space, full basement, oil heat. Substantial down payments required.
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COUNTRY BRICK HOME
WITH CITY CONVENIENCES
Built for your comfort, and located in Fort Hunt near Mt. Vernon blvd. Contains reception room, large living room, spacious dining room with fireplace, has bay window, ½ bath, equipped kitchen on the 1st floor; 4 large bedrooms and complete bath on 2d floor; stairs leading to large attic on the 3rd floor; full basement with oil heat; has outside entrance, slate roof, garage, storm windows and screens; lot approx. 1¼ acres. Full price, $22,000. Substantial down payment required. Shown by appointment.
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ARLINGTON
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ARLINGTON—VACANT
New 2-story brick home consisting of 1½ baths, 3 large bedrooms, fireplace in living room, finished rec. room, completely equipped kitchen, built-in garage. Priced low and will go GI or to civilians. Low down payment; $16,500.
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VACANT—$9,900
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OW. 5313 OX. 1016

ARLINGTON
Beautiful brick home, 3 large bedrms., 1½ baths, fully equip. kitchen, living room and finished rec. room with fireplace, screened-in porch. Will go GI or sell conventionally; low down payment.
SOUTHERN REALTY CO.
OX. 2010—CH. 1604

ARLINGTON
Brick Cape Cod bungalow; 2 bedrooms on first floor; 2 bedrooms, completely equipped kitchen and bath on second.
DES MARETS REALTY OW. 7822

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2 ACRES, WITH 6-ROOM HOUSE
Pleasantly situated on a quiet street. This is one of the few remaining Arlington County properties that can boast of enough land for garden and chickens. The house has a full basement and oil heat. On the first floor are a living room with fireplace, dining room and large kitchen. On the second floor are 3 bedrooms and bath. The land is an excellent investment, and should increase steadily in value. Price, only $20,000; $5,000 down, balance $143.50 per month, and we will give immediate possession.
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ARLINGTON
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Immaculate 3-bedroom brick home, tiled bath, side screened porch, large living room, family sized dining room, equipped kitchen, large enough for breakfast table; full basement with half bath. Some additional features are partially finished room in basement, Venetian windows, Venetian blinds, rear lot fenced with Anchor fence. All conveniences close.
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We have them! What price do you want to pay? $10,950? $12,950? $13,500? $14,950? Take your choice and give us a ring.
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AURORA HILLS
A 6-year-old, 2-story brick, which contains on 1st floor large living room with fireplace, dining room, fully equipped kitchen and half bath; on the 2nd floor there are 3 bedrooms and bath; side screened porch; oil air-conditioned heat; convenient to shopping, schools and transportation. Call for appointment.
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN
1501 Columbia Pike
CH. 1341. OX. 2798.

AURORA HILLS
White brick colonial, large living room with fireplace, very large side screened porch, attractive dining room and kitchen plus half tiled bath on 1st floor; 3 bedrooms and tiled bath upstairs; large basement, one-car attached garage. This home is located in one of the newest sections of Arlington.
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Barcroft, S. Arlington
408 S. TAYLOR ST.
If you want play room for the kids and a very comfortable frame house with a 1-story 2-car detached garage and a nice garden plot, this is it. 2 bedrooms and bath on the 1st floor; 2 bedrooms (smaller) and a half bath on the 2nd floor. Large basement with outside entrance. $16,000 with $6000 cash. Inspection by appointment.
LELAND D. BRECKENRIDGE
REALTOR
NA. 6705. TE. 3775.

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VIRGINIA

SUBURBAN ALEXANDRIA
3-bedroom brick bungalow; living room with fireplace, equipped kitchen; full basement, gas burner, h.-w.ht.; price $13,950. Easy terms. C. E. WORTHAM, AL. 7411.

AL BAKER SAYS
SANTA CLAUS HAS COME TO TOWN
Attractive brick bungalow near Washington Golf and Country Club. Approximately 6 years old; contains spacious living room with fireplace, built-in bookshelves and bay window, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bath on first floor; stairs leading to attic for additional rooms; full basement, oil heat. Full price, $15,750; substantial down payment.
AL BAKER & SON
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116 S. St. Asaph St., Alexandria
Open Eves. Till 9
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TODAY'S SPECIAL
Attractive frame bungalow located near Annandale, approx. 8 miles from D. C. and in a growing community; has 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen equipped with gas stove, glassed-in rear porch, all on one floor; unfinished attic, front screened porch; house fully insulated; Venetian blinds, storm windows and screens. Lot approx. 100x200, with white picket fence, garage. Full price $11,500. Terms may be arranged.
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4 BEDRMS., 2½ BATHS
$13,500
Prewar brick home that is really a good buy; lovely living room with fireplace, oil heat, copper plumbing; $2500 down and reasonable monthly payments; house is clean. Call early
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Authentic Southern Colonial Home
Situated on 3-acre knoll in nearby Virginia. Home features large well-arranged rooms, 1st floor study with bath; 4 bedrooms and a solarium, maid's quarters, garage and outdoor entertaining facilities are included. An interesting view may be seen from the study or master bedroom. Possession soon. Shown only to qualified buyers. Price $42,500.
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Act fast on this one. Owner says sell to a veteran. Cash needed approx. $4000 if approved. Attractive semi-detached brick in Sodth Arlington contains living room, dining room, kitchen equipped with gas stove and refrigerator; 2 bedrooms and bath; full basement. Convenient to schools, shopping and buses. Call us today for an appointment.
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$6,500
Completely furnished rustic log cabin on the Potomac, 19 miles south of Alexandria. Va. Living room with large stone fireplace, dining room, equipped kitchen, 3 bedrooms, full tiled bath, ½ acre, shaded. This is a very good buy.

$8,950
and it has 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen and bath. Close-in Arlington. Gas heat. Nice lot.

$9,250
5-room bungalow; full basement, gas hot-water heat. Low cash payment.

$16,950
4 bedrooms; large lot; oil heat. Close-in Clarendon. $3,750 cash.

$18,500
3-bedroom brick Colonial, in excellent condition; has just been zoned commercial.
JNO. J. LOFLIN, Realtor
Loflin Bldg. 2420 Wilson Blvd.
GL. 4312

$1,500 DOWN
and this 5-room semidetached home will be yours for comfortable living. Newly decorated, this home is situated in conveniently colorful Arlington section. Full basement, gas heat. Less than $80 per month, including taxes and insurance, or $2,700 cash and pay $61.50 per month.
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In heart of Silver Spring; 4 modern apartments. Building has commercial possibilities.
SUBURBAN INVESTMENT & INSURANCE CO.
SH. 3490. Eves., SH. 6634

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LIST your business property with us for sale or lease-stores, offices, investment houses, warehouses, commercial ground. Expert service rendered to property owners.
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1707 H St. N.W. NA. 8500.

Farms, Land, Sale 70

MARYLAND

TENANT FARM, tobacco and corn land, Locklevin Farm, Brentland rd. James Sinyard, Welcome, Charles County, Md.

VIRGINIA

1,200-ACRE livestock farm in northern Virginia fox-hunting country; lowland and upland, watered with springs and streams; also timber; horse and cattle barns; two silos; other necessary outbuildings; 10-room residence with electric lamp and water; four tenant houses. Details on request. Box M-372, Wash. Post.

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Farms, Land, Wanted 72

WANTED—FARMS, LARGE & SMALL, in Arlington and nearby counties. CHESTER COGSWELL. OX. 1633.

Lots for Sale 73

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

SHEPHERD PARK—OFF 16TH ST. NW. Beautiful corners and inside lots, 50 to 100-ft. frontage; any depth. SHAPIRO, INC., 917 15th st. nw. ME. 1717, TA. 1311 or CO. 9330.

OVER one-half acre heavily wooded homesite in delightful section of custom-built homes. Convenient to Country Club. Plans for home, designed for site available. It's priced below the market.
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MARYLAND

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Just East of Lanham, Md.
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Beautiful Lots 100x170 Feet
$750
City Water—Electric—Phone
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Phone Hyattsville 0107 or Union 7849

BRADLEY HILLS GROVE
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REALTOR. SHOREHAM BLDG.
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VIRGINIA

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McCAY & McCAY
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GL. 8675.
Exclusive Sales Agents.

Acreage, Sale 75

MARYLAND

40 BEAUTIFUL wooded acres, 14 miles from White House out Bradley Blvd.; ideal home sites with large old white oak trees, a profusion of laurel and dogwood, springs and a creek that will capture your heart; electricity, phone and private road through property; $1,000 an acre, or make offer. R. C. Riddick, owner, WI. 3951 after 6 p. m.

VIRGINIA

NEAR SHIRLEY HIGHWAY, 130x300 ft. homesite in restricted Pinecrest. $975. VERNON M. LYNCH & SONS, Lincolnia, Va. AL. 5906. Closed Sunday.

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CROQUIGNOLE Permanent Wave Machine, 20 heaters. Fyrst $100 gets it. LI. 2678.

Desks, Office Furniture
Desks, all kinds, steel and wood file cabinets; office chairs, tables and bookcases. All priced reasonably. New and used.
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DIAMOND BARGAINS that are impossible to duplicate: Lady's ext., ½-ct., $125; lady's ¾-ct., $150; lady's ¾-ct., $200; lady's 1¼-ct., $300; lady's 1¼-ct., $425; lady's 1¼-ct., $475; lady's 2-ct., perfect, $875; lady's 2-ct., $750; man's 3½-ct., $1,200; lady's 7½-ct., $2,500. These extremely low prices are made possible by our vast purchases of exceptionally fine gems from estates, banks, bankruptcy and sacrifice sales. You don't pay fancy prices or overhead here. Open evenings till 9 o'clock until Xmas. Livingston & Co., 1432 F st. nw. ME. 3440.

DINING-ROOM SUITE, 10-piece, mahogany, complete with pads, beautiful condition, $350. OR. 2868.

DINETTE SET, 5-pc. light oak; seats 8 with 2 disappearing leaves; ladder-back chairs with blue leatherette seats. $75. MI. 6937 after 6 p. m.

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DOLLS (3), dressed, Patsyanne; good condition; $6 each. OL. 1050.

DOORS (3), 2 French, 1 standard; half window; reas. RA. 6376.

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FURNACE—Kreaky, floor; automatic, oil; new, in crate; will heat 6 rooms; easy installation; $160. WA. 8587.

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FURS—NATURAL WHITE FOX
Trapped in Arctic last winter. Pelts beautifully matched by expert furrier. Can be made up immediately. This is an unusual opportunity to obtain a luxurious fur at a considerable saving. For appointment call Sligo 6031.

FUR COAT, silver fox, ¾ length, size 14, beautiful, $300. FR. 2460.

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FUR COAT, Hudson Seal, size 14-16; $50; complete new lining. Also man's black overcoat, size 40; $5. EM. 8695.

FUR COAT, size 14, exc. cond.; reas. priced. GL. 7627 after 5.

FUR COAT, dyed, Pitch, from Bernloff-Goodman's; excellent condition; cost $1,200, sell $350. Call DI. 1747, days; AD. 5444, evenings.

FUR COATS—Large selection of beautiful furs. Trade ins accepted. Baskin Furs, corner 11th and G sts. nw.

FUR COAT, raccoon, beautifully matched skins, full length; perfect condition; size 16-18; owner moving to Calif. OL. 3071.

FUR COAT, China mink, hip length, perfect condition. TA. 2089.

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FUR COAT—Beautiful silver muskrat, size 14-16; full length; perfect condition; $65. LI. 4271.

FUR COAT, black Persian lamb, 14-16; good cond. $200. WI. 0636.

FUR COAT, black Hudson seal, size 20, in perfect cond., reas. priced. CO. 7230, Ext. 108, South.

FURS, pair of silver foxes, $75; gray topper, never worn, $35. PA. 2233.

FUR JACKET, mole, size 18; exc. cond., $50. EM. 8258.

FUR JACKET, red fox, sell for $40. LI. 4271.

FUR JACKET, blue fox, ¾ length, 1 year old, excellent condition, size 12-14; $60. FA. 9556.

FURN.—Dinette table, chrs., $12.50; highchr., $5; baby bed, $10; bathinette, $2. WA. 9463.

FURNITURE—Dinette table with 4 chairs; 2 matched love seats; Hollywood bed, knotty pine bar, occasional chair; best quality furniture, excellent condition. Phone J. 1873.

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MERCURY—1940 gray 2-door sedan with new tires, very quiet 100 h.p. motor, beautiful steel trim, heater. Ford executive owned. Priced low at $620. Owner demonstrator. Call DU. 9439 evenings.

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NASH—1942 Ambassador de luxe sedan; 7 pass.; low mileage, $1950. WI. 5170.

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5 S. American rodents
10 Bony fish
14 Season of fasting
15 Around
16 Narrative
17 S. American Indian
18 Imitation gem
19 Otherwise
20 Equals
22 Depot
24 Wire measure
26 Happy expression
27 Purified
31 The total
32 Antique
35 Color high
37 Eternally
38 Cougars
39 Past
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41 Paradise
42 Alterations
44 Induced
45 Note of Guido's scale
46 Prophetess
47 Narrow wooden strips
49 Oscillate
50 Bans
54 Revolt
58 Esteem
59 Far Easterner
61 A star
62 Imitated
63 Unite
64 Ball of thread
65 Decades
66 Article of property
67 Divisions of time

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1 To toss
2 Unaspirated
3 Formerly
4 Northern grouse
5 Infant food
6 Priestly garments
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11 An aureole
12 Tea
13 Consider
21 Chants
23 Cloth measure
25 Confederate general
27 Drive back
28 Ooze slowly
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30 Adapts for the stage: obs.
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33 Natives of Latvia
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36 Maturity
37 Outgrowth
40 Smudge
42 Southern State
43 Fallen moisture
45 Biblical prophet
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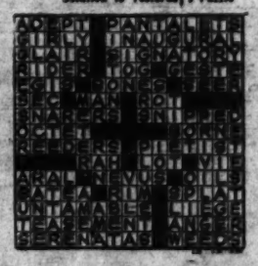
Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle



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	News, 6, 7, 8:30. Town Clock, 6:05. 7:10, 8, 8:35. David Wills, 7:45.	WRC Alamanac, 5:30. News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30. Bill Herson, 6:05-6. Weather, 6:30.	Mike Hunnicutt, 6:05-9:30, except for news at 8, 6:30, 7, 7:30. George Reedy, 8.	News 6, 7, 8. The Jerry Strong Show 6:05-9 Five Minute Mystery 7:55	Milton Ford 6 Milt Slosser, 6-9:15, except for news, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15. Devotions, 6:45.	Corn Squeezin'. 7:30. News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8. Godfrey, 7:45-8.
9	:00 Breakfast Club :15 Don McNeill :30 " " :45 " "	Bill Herson News; Nancy Osgood Contest Winners	Mike Hunnicutt " " Spice in Life Hymn Time	News; Jerry Strong Curtain Call " "	Milton Q. Ford Alice Lane " " Man on Street	News, Mahoney Home Service You're the Top Winner Take All
10	:00 My True Story :15 " " :30 Betty Crocker :45 Club Time	Fred Waring " " Road of Life Joyce Jordan	Shady Valley Name in Music News: Showtunes Listener's Exch'ge	News; Band Stand Howard Williams " " " "	Tune Inn Norman Gladney Tune Inn " "	" " " Dr. Paul Evelyn Winters David Harum
11	:00 Breakfast :15 in Hollywood :30 Ruth Crane :45 " "	Nora Drake Katie's Daughter Jack Berch Show Lora Lawton	Tale Two Cities Betty and Bob Heart's Desire " "	News; Band Stand Howard Williams " " " "	" " " " " " " "; News	Arthur Godfrey " " Grand Slam Rosemary
12	:00 News, Evans :15 Ted Malone :30 Welcome :45 Travelers	News; Brinkley Look to This Day Richard Harkness Nancy Osgood	Kate Smith Victor Lindlahr Les Higbie, News At Union Station	News Roundup Bing Crosby Luncheon With Alvino Rey	Tello Test Lunch at 1450 Lunch at 1450 Bing Crosby	News; Warren Aunt Jenny Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1	:00 David Wills :15 Galen Drake :30 Tommy Dorsey :45 " "	Tin Pan Ballet " " " Robert McCormick Believe It or Not " "	Stranger's Song Art Brown " " " "	News; Symphony Beethoven's Symphony No. 1 (de Sabata)	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Big Sister Ma Perkins Young Dr. Malone Guiding Light
2	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 Bride and Groom :45 John Nelson	Today's Children Woman in White Holly Sloane Light of the World	Queen for a Day " " " Art Brown " "	News; Joe Dash " " " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	2d Mrs. Burton Perry Mason Look Your Best Rose of Dreams
3	:00 Ladies Be :15 Seated :30 Paul Whiteman :45 " "	Life Can Be Beaut. Ma Perkins Pepper Young Right to Happiness	" " " " " " " "	News; Joe Dash " " " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Double or Nothing " " " House Party " "; B'way
4	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 News, Evans :45 It's a Hit	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Widow Brown	" " " " " " " "	Uncle Remus Swing Serenade Music Hall " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Hint Hunt " " " " "; News A Woman's World
5	:00 " " " :15 Terry & Pirates :30 Jack Armstrong :45 " "	When a Girl Mar. Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	" " Superman Captain Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall Music Hall " " " "	Band of the Day Battle of Crooners Sports; Theater of the Air; Sports	Tales of Adventure Lum 'n' Abner The Factfinder
6	:00 News, Evans :15 Stardust, Sports :30 Earl Godwin :45 Singing Sam	News; Lail Eld Johnny Desmond Brinkley; Bergman 3 Star Extra	Congress Today Art Brown Johnson Family Sports, Brundige	News Roundup Bob Wolff, Sports Music Hall " "	Melody Lane " " Wakeman; News Berger; Sup. Club	News; Severeid Local, Govt. News Sports; City Desk News, L. Thomas
7	:00 Louise Massey :15 Elmer Davis :30 Green Hornet :45 " "	Supper Club World News Matchless Service Time	Fulton Lewis, Jr. Man Behind Band Newscope Inside of Sports	Music Hall Coal Speaks Music Hall " "	Disc Jockey Win'er Peter Donald Austad; News Juke Box Revue	Beulah Show Tunes Club 15 News, Ed Murrow
8	:00 Youth Asks G'v't :15 Monitor News :30 Town Meeting :45 " "	Milton Berle Show " " " Date with Judy " "	Mysterious Traveler Official Detective " ; Billy Rose	Evening Serenade " " Joe Dash Show " "	Our Home Town Guest Star News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Big Town " " Mr. and Mrs. North; News
9	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 BostonSymphony :45 " "	Amos and Andy " " " Fibber McGee and Molly " "	Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories Zane Grey Show " "	News; Joe Dash " " " " " "	1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	We, the People " " Studio One " "
10	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 Labor, U. S. A. :45 Freedom Ring	Bob Hope " " Red Skelton " "	American Forum " " National Moondial Art Brown	News; Opera Excerpts from Tristan and Isolde	Ice Hockey Game " " " News; Sunset and Vine	" " " " " " Open Hearing " "
11	:00 News, Evans :15 Hour of Dreams :30 Lee Dayton :45 " "	News; Sports World News To Reason Why " " "	Voice of D. C. Fulton Lewis, Jr. Sweet Music " "; News	News Roundup Morton Downey Starlight Serenade " "	1450 Club UN Today 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	News Science News Moondial Eddie Gallaher

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

C. E. HOOPER, the man who makes so many radio people unhappy, will be interviewed tonight at 9 over WTOP-CBS. Originator and operator of the Hooperating system of estimating a program's listener appeal by making telephone surveys during the broadcast, Hooper is a household word in radio.

Appearing with him will be Arthur Godfrey, WTOP-CBS morning man and emcee of "The Talent Scouts" program, who is one of the few radio performers able to look Hooper in the eye unblushingly.

Other highlights:

Beethoven's 177th birthday anniversary is celebrated by Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians with "Is This All a Dream" which is based on "Fur Elise." WRC—10 a. m.

Ravel's Introduction and Allegro. Laura Newell, harpist, with the Stuyvesant String Quartet. WQQW—2 p. m.

Songwriter Arthur Schwartz is guest of Paul Whiteman. A 1930 record of Libby Holman singing and Schwartz' "Give Me Something to Remember You By" will be played. WMAL—3:30 p. m.

"Flying Ebony," the story of a young man who patrolled the beaches of Long Island and braved the shore pirates of 100 years ago. WTOP—5 p. m.

Billy Eckstein, Washington singer who broke into big time, is subject of Bob Knight's "Man Behind the Band" story. WOL—7:15 p. m.

How Can We Maintain Prosperity and Avert Depression? Mat S. Szymczak, Federal Reserve System; Paul Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Corp.; Philip Reed, International Electric Corp., and Richard Gilbert, consulting economist. WMAL—8:30 p. m.

Eleazar De Carvalho, Brazilian conductor, leads the Boston Symphony in a presentation of Berlioz's "Fantastic Symphony." WMAL—9:30 p. m.

Ralph Bellamy stars in Ferber's "So Big," playing two roles—Piers de Jong and his son, Dirk. WTOP—9:30 p. m.

Should We Outlaw the Communist Party? Representatives Harry R. Sheppard (D., Calif.) and Frank B. Keefe (R., Wis.) take the affirmative in a debate with Senator Glen Taylor (D., Idaho) and Arthur Garfield Hays, attorney. WOL—10 p. m.

WQQW 570

7:15 Good Morning	11:15 Fun With Music	1:15 In Hollywood	3:45 S. American Way
9:00 Music Room	11:30 Three Quarter Time	1:30 Hits of Today	4:00 Music Quiz
9:30 Capital Shoppers	11:45 Folk Music	1:45 Hits of Yesterday	4:15 Pops Concert
9:45 Answers for Women	Noon On the Avenue	2:00 Speaking of Music	News, 5 minutes before the hour and Sports at 4:40.
10:00 Morning Symphony	12:45 Words With Music	3:00 Variety Hall	
11:00 Variety Hall	1:00 Variety Hall	3:15 Keyboard Contrasts	
		3:30 Judging the Discs	

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WPIK-FM (Channel 252) 98.3
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WASH-FM (Channel 255) 98.9
Operates 3:55 to 11:07 with recorded music, except for news, 4:15, 7:45, 10:30. Weather, 3:55, 7:55, 11:05. This Day, 5. Storytime, 5:15. Free Fun, 5:40. Here's to Vets, 7:30. Phil Wayne's Orch., 8:30. Sports, 11.

WGAY-FM (Channel 272) 102.3
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WPIK 730	WARL 780	WGAY 1050	WBCC 1140	WEAM 1390	WOOK 1500
The Early Birds, Bob McBride and Leonard Friendly, 7:15 to 9. News, 8, 8:30.	Eye Opener, 5. Let's Be Gay, 6:45. Calendar, 8:30. Church of the Air, 9:45.	Dave's Corner, 7:15. Florence Gist Disc Jockey, 7:30-9, except for News, 7:35, 7:55, Williams, 7:45.	Prayer, 7:15. News, 7:45, 8:15. Rural Route 1, 11:30. Morning in Maryland, 8, 8:35. Story, 8:50.

STEVE CANYON

12/16
SHOW THEES CANYON TO THE DOOR!..DOCTAIR WEELDAIRNESS EES EMBARRASS—AN' I AM FUREEOUS!
OH, STEVE, THIS IS GETTING TOO DIFFICULT... PERHAPS YOU'D BETTER NOT STAY...
OKAY, DEEN! IF YOU WANT TO PLAY HANDIES WITH MEDICS WHO TOTE BLACKJACKS!

JOE PALOOKA

I WENT ALMOST NUTS AN' OUTA MY MIND WAITIN' FER THAT HEARIN'-ER TRIAL.
YA DIDN'T HAFTA GO FAR!
YA KNOW A MANAGER UNDER SUSPENSION DAREN'T EVER GO NEAR A FIGHTER AN' I WANTA BE NEAR JOE... I'M IN DANGER... LUNGY'S MOB...
I BEEN EXONNERATUD... I'M SURE I KIN GO BEFORE TH' BOXIN' COMMISSION AN' BE REINSTATED... THERE'S A MEETIN' THIS MORNIN'... I'M GOIN' THERE... COME ON ALONG.
ANYTHING YA SAY, BUTTERBALL.

JACK ARMSTRONG

OKAY, BILLY! COME ON!
THEY'RE COMIN' AFTER US INFANTRY STYLE, JUAN!
HE'S NOT DEAD! IT'S ARMSTRONG!
I'LL FIRE AT THEM FROM THE WEENDOW EEN THE NAX ROOM!
I DON' LIKE THEES!
CARAMBA! THEY ARE COMEENG EEN THE BACK WAY.... JUAN MARTINEZ EES GOEENG OUT THE FRONT!

PENNY

MARY WORTH

OBVIOUSLY, UNCLE HARRY ASKS THE IMPOSSIBLE!..NO ONE COULD DISPOSE OF THOSE SUITS..AT A PROFIT..IN ONE WEEK!
IT'S NOT PLEASANT, HARVEY..KNOWING I'LL BE USING YOUR HEAD FOR A STEPPING STONE!
LIKE SIR WALTER RALEIGH'S FAMOUS (AND WHOLLY FICTIONAL) GESTURE TO QUEEN ELIZABETH, I CONSIDER IT A PRIVILEGE TO LET YOU WALK TO SOLID GROUND ON A CLOAK!..OR RATHER, ON 2000 SUITS!...COME HERE, ELISSA!
P-PLEASE, HARVEY! I MUSTN'T BE COMPLETELY TWO-FACED!
WHY NOT? IF THE OTHER FACE IS AS PRETTY AS THIS ONE, THE WORLD WOULD BE THE GAINER!
OH!..I'M SO SORRY! ..BUT I'D LIKE TO SPEAK TO ELISSA...AT ONCE!

MICKEY FINN

SO THE CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE MADE MINTMORE DEATHLY SICK, EH?
WELL, HE THOUGHT IT DID-BUT OLD "DOC" SHEENAN SOON STRAIGHTENED HIM OUT!
HE'S BEEN ON A RIGID DIET-BUT THIS STUPID OLD WINDBAG TALKED HIM INTO EATING CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE!
I SEE! WELL, PLEASE STEP OUTSIDE-I WANT TO GIVE HIM A THOROUGH EXAMINATION!
ARE YOU TRYING TO TELL ME THAT I'M JUST IMAGINING I HAVE THESE PAINS?
EXACTLY! YOU'RE JUST WORRYING ABOUT WHAT THAT CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE MIGHT DO TO YOU! AS A MATTER OF FACT, MR. MINTMORE, THERE IS ONLY ONE THING WRONG WITH YOU!
WHAT'S THAT?
YOU'VE GOT TOO MUCH MONEY!

WINNIE WINKLE

WHY SO DOWN IN THE MOUTH, BILL? DID YOUR NEW HOUSE COLLAPSE?
NOT QUITE THAT BAD, JACK--BUT AFTER PAYING OFF ON IT---
--I'VE GOT NO MONEY TO GIVE THE WIFE AND KIDS A DECENT CHRISTMAS!!
DON'T YOU BELIEVE IN SANTA CLAUS?
DON'T YOU KNOW THAT HI HEM, TH' BIG BOSS, GIVES EACH AND EVERYBODY WORKING HERE $100 FOR CHRISTMAS?
-OH BOY...!!
$100!! OH, BILL-- THAT'S WONDERFUL!! I'LL OPEN AN ACCOUNT AT THE EMPORIUM AND---
I KNOW! THEN WE CAN BUY GIFTS AND PAY 'EM BACK LATER!
ZOWIEEEE!!

DOTTY

DOTTY, WHAT'S YOUR SIZE AGAIN--T.WELVE?
12-16
SMACK
FLATTERER--IT'S SIZE FOURTEEN!!
GOOD-BYE, DEAR--I'LL BAKE AN APPLE PIE FOR YOU TODAY!
LAST TIME I TRIED THAT, IT WAS A PEACH PIE!!

THE DISTRICT LINE by Bill Gold

It Appears That Demobilization Isn't Completed Yet

One of the most pertinent questions of the day comes from Edgar Spicer, jr., of 33 Glaize ave., Winchester, Va.

Edgar recalls that during the war years it was virtually impossible to turn on the radio without hearing a spine-tingling voice announcing:

"Lucky Strike green has gone to war; yes, Lucky Strike green has gone to war."

But now the war is over, and we were led to believe that demobilization was completed many, many months ago. So I think Edgar's question is right to the point. He asks:

"Has Lucky Strike green gotten back from war yet?"

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MEMO TO OUR TRAFFIC DIRECTOR

Dear Mr. Kenelpp:

I have never seen anything in the public prints to the effect that a person seeking restoration of a suspended permit is given a special examination, and is not required to go through the same routine as a new applicant.

So I think the information contained in your letter will be of interest to many readers, who may share my ignorance on this point.

I'm glad to know that no special consideration was given Judge Raedy, and that anybody else who is asking for the restoration of his suspended permit can get a similar after-hours reexamination.

However I still maintain that the District needs a bigger working force in the bureau which handles new applications.

It seems to me that it should be possible for a citizen to qualify for a driver's license without being forced to devote at least a day to the project, and perhaps longer.

Thanks for setting me straight on the procedure for handling reexaminations on suspended permits. Bill

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METHOD

Inspector Milton D. Smith of the Metropolitan Police Department is patiently continuing his one-man campaign to get the name of Market Space changed to C st.

Inasmuch as I'm always on the losing side, I could probably give him a helping hand by attacking the proposal.

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YOU TELL 'EM, PAL

Elmer R. Reynolds of 1419 Saratoga ave. ne. refuses to permit me to concede victory to our "bundlesome women."

He maintains that if the ladies would do their shopping and then go on home where they belong, there wouldn't be any difficulty.

But do they do that? No. They've got to pick your everything in the store until closing time (gosh! they must all be alike after all) and then push their way through to the who are trying to get home after a hard day at the office.

And then there's the line-holder-upper type of woman.

It takes her an eternity to pay her fare because she must juggle all her packages while she hunts for a dime which is hiding "someplace at the bottom of the miniature suitcase she calls a purse."

District Liner Reynolds adds: "I say these things without malice. I'm a happily married boze myself, and have nothing against the ladies—bundlesome or otherwise.

"But I do think they should try to stay out of the rush hour crowds."

MAIL BAG

"I am a pupil in the 4-B at Barnard School, located at 4th and Decatur sts. nw.

"My class and a sixth grade class have been studying French for the past two years. Our French teacher is Miss Vestal from Macfarland Junior High School. Our regular teacher is Mrs. L. G. Knupp.

"These two French classes are going to give a Christmas play in French for our parents and friends at the P-TA meeting in the Barnard Auditorium on Tuesday, December 16, at 8 p. m.

"Could you print this letter on the morning of our play?"

Phyllis J. Fox, age 9½.
126 Webster st. nw.

As they say in French, Phyllis—you bet, sis.

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NEW WORDS DEPT.

Here's another bit of coinage, this time from W. M. Norris of 1418 Somerset pl. nw.

To signify that one is upset and excited, the Norris family says he's "upsited."

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PET PEEVE

I very often suspect that Capital Transit's operations schedule was worked out by a misanthrope who owns his own auto.

The other night I waited for some 25 minutes while four No. 20 cars passed. When my No. 30 finally showed up, it was leading a parade of five No. 30's.

Leonard Lyons . . .

NEW YORK.—Eric Archdeacon, who was head of the Bankers Trust in Germany before the war, and who now lectures on geopolitics at the leading universities, was flown to Germany recently on a Government mission. When the plane stopped at the Stevensville airport in Newfoundland, he found a bishop and all the priests serving in the district waiting to receive him. The reception committee had been gathered by the chaplain after he saw the arriving passenger list headed by the name "Archdeacon Eric" . . .

He entertained them at the Officers Club. And on his return flight, when the plane stopped at the Azores, Archdeacon received a case of wine from the officers to bring back to his faithful flock at Stevensville.

Emmet Lavery, president of the Screenwriters Guild, and Martin Gosch, producer of Lavery's late play, "The Gentleman From Athens," will bring in Sam Wood, Ayn Rand, James K. McGuinness and Morrie Ryskind in their two-million-dollar libel suit against Lela Rogers. They will be joined as defendants this week on the allegation that they helped write the speech in which Mrs. Rogers described "The Gentleman From Athens" as a Communist play . . .

Alexander Ince, publisher of the forthcoming Stage magazine, tells of his first venture in corporate enterprises. It happened at the Hotel Cleopatra in Karlsbad, where he was the guest of Jules Bache. The financier advised him to get into the stock market. Ince heeded the advice and bought some shares . . .

The next day he found an envelope in his mailbox. It contained a list of stock market transactions, intended, however, for Bernard Baruch, who had the suite next door. Ince read the list, and then reported to Bache, who congratulated him: "Opening Bernard Baruch's mail is not a bad way to start a stock market career."

Garbo attended the Modern Museum's private screening of the new Jean Cocteau film, "Beauty and the Beast." At the end of the picture, when the frightening Beast turns into the handsome Jean Marais, Miss Garbo was heard complaining: "Oh, no. I want the nice Beast back." . . .

Two weeks ago Joe Walcott received $200 for his prefight broadcast on "We, the People." For his appearance last night Walcott demanded and received the same as Joe Louis' fee, $1000.

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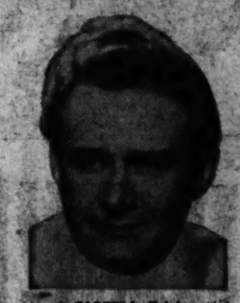

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...EXCEPT THROUGH THESE DOORS WHICH WE WILL GUARD UNTIL THE ENTERTAINMENT IS FINISHED. ONCE THE LIGHTS ARE ON AGAIN, IT WILL NOT BE DIFFICULT TO LOCATE THEM.
YI! THESE MUSICIANS OF YOURS MAKE SUCH HIDEOUS DIN, IT IS DIFFICULT FOR ONE TO THINK...

STEVE ROPER

I'D BETTER DRAG THAT HOOFER AWAY BEFORE HE FINDS SONNY CALLING ON HIS EX-PARTNER!---HE'S GOT A KNIFE IN HIS SLEEVE AND HOMICIDE IN HIS HEART!---
TOO LATE! TORRIDORA'S OPENING THE DOOR!
H'LO, HONEY! GLAD T'SEE OL' GLOSSY VANEER--?
SURE, GLOSSY! ANY TIME! BUT YOU'RE A LITTLE UNDER THE WEATHER TONIGHT!--BE A GOOD BOY AND RUN ALONG. I'M--UH--READING!
READING, HUH?---OKAY!---I'M SONNA COME IN F'R JUS'A MINUTE---AN' CUT THE PAGES IN THAT BOOK Y'GOT IN THERE!

DONALD DUCK

OKAY, NOW ONE MORE AFTER THAT ONE!
WE THINK Y' GOT TWO TOO MANY, LINCA DONALD!
DON'T BE SILLY! I'VE GOT IT FIGURED TO THE INCH!
ALLEZ--OOP!
Walt Disney

DIXIE DUGAN

THEY MUST ALL BE ASLEEP BY THIS TIME.
JUD SAID THE PLACE IS GUARDED, BUT IF I CAN GET TO THE HEDGE I CAN SNEAK ALONG IT TO THE GATE---
ON-ON!---???--- HOW WILL I GET TO THE GROUND?
I'LL USE A SHEET!? I'VE SEEN IT DONE IN THE MOVIES!

MYRTLE

OZARK IKE

HOW'S THAT FOR SMASHING THROUGH AND BLOCKING THE KICK FOR EXTRA POINT, DAD?
FINE TIME FOR OZARK TO DECIDE TO PLAY FOOTBALL...
...WITH ONLY TEN SECONDS LEFT TO PLAY AND THE CYCLONES AHEAD, 12 TO 7.
TH' KICK-OFF...OUR LAS' CHANCE!!

MARK TRAIL

I'VE FOUND OUT WHAT'S GOING ON, MARTIN!...
...MISS MALONE HASN'T BEEN TAKING SCOTT ON WALKS AT ALL...SHE'S BEEN TURNING HIM OVER TO A MAN NAMED TRAIL FROM "DUCKS UNLIMITED" WHO'S BEEN TEACHING SCOTT TO SHOOT...
...SO THEY CAN ENTER HIM IN THE JUNIOR RIFLE MEET TOMORROW...
WHAT?!!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

PATROL CAR FIVE REPORTED A STOLEN CAR ON RIVER STREET!
THE MOTOR IS STILL WARM!
IT MAY BE OUR HOTTEST CLUE TO OUR 'MYTHICAL' BANK ROBBER, "SELDOM SEEN"!
IN A FEW MINUTES THIS NEIGHBORHOOD'LL BE SWARMIN' WITH COPS! TH' BEST PLACE FOR ME IS IN BED...AFTER ALL, I AM AN HONEST MERCHANT!

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Butler Baffles Aussies

By Drew Pearson

One of the most well-meaning but left-handed of American Ambassadors is the big St. Paul shipbuilder, Bob Butler, United States envoy to Australia. Also he is one of the unhappiest.

Robert Butler

Ambassador Butler is unhappy because diplomacy just ain't what it's cracked up to be — at least not for him, in Australia. His efforts to dress up the job have been Herculean—but to no avail.

One of his first was to decree that The Star-Spangled Banner be played by embassy loudspeakers every morning at sunrise. The idea sent shivers down the spine of career diplomat H. Earle Russell. Not only does the diplomatic game require late sleeping, but Russell feared that the United States National Anthem would jar pastoral Canberra (population 15,000) like an alarm clock.

The battle over The Star-Spangled Banner waxed furious. And when the story leaked into a United States news magazine, the Ambassador tactfully withdrew the order, untactfully fired Counselor Russell.

The Australian Social Whirl

Next, Ambassador Butler developed an uncontrollable yen for high Australian society. Impatient with Canberra's social whirl, the brusque Minnesotan decided to take his family on a tour into the six Australian states. There he expected to be entertained by the governors. New South Wales was picked for his first stop and his staff was told to wangle an invitation.

The American Consulate notified Governor General John Northcutt that the Ambassador and his family would be visiting in the area. A prompt reply came back, inviting them to lunch.

This was a blow. For the Ambassador had planned to spend the weekend. And when a second note came from the Governor General saying that unforeseen circumstances made it impossible to keep even the lunch appointment, the Ambassador flew into a tantrum.

Incensed, the St. Paul shipbuilder dictated an official note to the Governor General declaring bluntly that he considered himself "deeply insulted." Such a note was without diplomatic precedent and the Embassy staff wrung its hands. Later he wrote a gentler note, leaving out the stinger; finally changed his mind again and asked his military attache in Melbourne, Brig. Gen. Edmund Sebree, to write a letter telling how offended the Ambassador was. General Sebree protested that this was out of his jurisdiction, refused to carry out the request.

Row Over an Airplane

By that time the Ambassador and General Sebree weren't getting along well, anyway. Sore point was the military attache's official plane. Before leaving to take his post, Butler had asked John Hilldring, then an Assistant Secretary of State, to provide him with a plane. Later, from Melbourne, Butler dictated a cablegram to Hilldring, demanding: "Where's my plane?"

"Hilldring, seeing the Melbourne address and not remembering Butler's name, thought the cable came from the military attache. He wired back: "Your DC-3 is on the way."

General Hilldring realized his mistake too late, but rather than admit he had forgotten Butler's name, let the incident pass. Of course, Butler thought the plane was for him. But Sebree produced War Department papers to prove it was for the military attache's office. The resulting squabble grew until the two men refused to stay in the same room together. Six days after Butler's first visit back to the States, General Sebree was transferred.

The Ambassador also had trouble with his naval attache, Capt. Ben Thompkins, which led to his eventual transfer. It all started over his failure to arrange a 21-gun salute for the Ambassador. Butler had been waiting for a visit from a United States naval task force which he hoped might drop in at an Australian port. So when a couple of ships from Byrd's Polar expedition pulled into Sydney for refueling, Butler hurried down to the harbor for his 21-gun salute. Captain Thompkins reported back, however, that none of the ships had facilities for firing a salute, and besides the harbor was too crowded with shipping. Butler was furious, but settled on being piped aboard.

Helping the Italian Vote—From Australia

More than once Butler was saved from diplomatic suicide by his staff. The closest call was the time the representative of the Vatican convinced him that Italian prisoners of war, still in Australian concentration camps, were being mistreated. He called in his press chief, Robert Burlingame.

"I think I ought to issue a blast," Butler told him.

Burlingame warned that diplomats are not supposed to interfere in the internal affairs of other countries, succeeded in talking him out of the idea.

Real trouble with Ambassador Butler is that he's a man of great energy, sidetracked in a country where we have the best possible relations, and where he has relatively little to do. Finally, however, he achieved a triumph. He dedicated the flagpole in front of the American Embassy.

Note—The Australians once paid $5000 to a smart New York publicity agent to publicize Ed Flynn's Belgian paving blocks so as to block Flynn's confirmation as United States Ambassador to Australia. Some of them are now saying: "Look what we got instead of Flynn."

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Portraits

By James J. Metcalfe

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